

NEW SENSATIONS SHOCK CAPITAL

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"My recollection is that the proposal was referred to me by either the president or vice-president of our company with the usual request that I pass on it. A part of my function was to attend to these matters and pass upon the sufficiency of the proposal; whether its acceptance would constitute a legal contract and the usual request for any comment might make. It was my opinion that the proposal, if accepted, would not constitute a valid contract."

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TOWN TOPICS

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CHARGES BIG BREAD TRUST IS IMPENDING

Manley Asks Congressional Action to Deflate Prices and Curb Nation-Wide Profiteering.

(By the Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, Feb. 14.—A report charging nationwide profiteering in bread and that creation of a "colossal bread trust is impending" was submitted today by Basil M. Manley, director of the People's Legislative Service, to Senator LaFollette, other senators and representatives.

The report, which was outlined in an announcement by the organization, recommended congressional action to "deflate bread prices and check the growth of the bread trust."

An investigation of wheat and bread prices, made at the request of the senator and representatives to whom the report was submitted, showed it was said, that the American people are paying a million dollars a day more for their bread. The average retail price of bread in the United States is 9 cents a pound, whereas on the basis of present wheat prices it should be five cents, the report said adding that bread made with American flour is now selling in England at an average price of 4 cents a pound.

Alleged "retailers rings" said to be supported by the wholesale bakers either voluntary or under threat of boycott declared to have suspended the law of supply and demand, resulting in artificial bread prices in many cities.

Mountain Valley Man Is Caught Following Chase

A lively early morning chase through the streets of Danville took place at 2:30 A.M. today culminating in the arrest near Edmund Hospital of P. A. Adkins, said to be of Mountain Valley, who was arrested for driving an automobile while drunk and for transporting liquor. Officer O. S. Mayberry saw the car speeding across Main street bridge. He impeded into service a passing car and a chase up Main street took place which fortunately at that hour was clear. The speed of the cars reached forty miles an hour at places, he said. The pursuing car four times drew ahead of the fugitive but Adkins declined to stop and veered his car round that containing the officer. Mayberry seeing the opportunity to arrest escaping drew his revolver and called out to the man as the machines sped along neck and neck that he would shoot unless he stopped. This had the desired effect. The policeman claims that Adkins twice threw off the machine gun jar containing liquor. Three negroes were in the car but were not detained. Mayberry claims that Adkins admitted that he had the liquor and that he was trying to make his escape.

Adkins was this morning fined \$101 and costs for driving an automobile while under the influence of whisky. He also was sentenced to 30 days in jail and fined \$51 and costs for violating the Mapp act.

Cuts Hubby's Leg Off As He Sleeps

GOLDSBORO, Feb. 14.—The strangest crime in the history of Wayne county occurred Monday. Arnold and Jeanette Worrell, colored couple living on Edna Smith's plantation near Fremont, have been separated for some time but live on the same farm. They had a fuss yesterday afternoon and Jeanette vowed that she would not return to her husband's room while he was asleep and cut his leg off with an axe. She escaped and has not been captured. Arnold is expected to die.

The Corporation court session has been virtually brought to a close, all of the jury cases being disposed of yesterday. The court session will not adjourn for some days as there are several motions yet to be heard and some chancery matters which are likely to be disposed of by Judge Withers before he signs up the record.

DENNY-PETTY.

Announcement was made today of the marriage in Yanceyville last Sunday of Paul L. Denney and Miss Zenia Petty, both of Danville, the ceremony being performed at the Baptist church by Rev. E. L. Stack. The young couple were accompanied by a number of their friends who witnessed the wedding. Mr. and Mrs. Denney are living in Danville.

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SWAMP DIVE



When Wesley Bowman, 23 rigger the northwest woods near Bellingham, Wash., lost his hold in a tall cress he fell 135 feet to the ground Swampy earth made a soft landing spot and Bowman was practically unharmed.

FEAR OUTBREAK
SOON AGAINST
SEPARATISTS

(By the Associated Press.)

AMSTERDAM, Feb. 14.—Reports from Piermasens, Kaiserlautern and other centers in the Palatinate state that the disorders are continuing and it is feared an uprising against the Separatists will break out today.

The French are remaining neutral the dispatch states.

CURFEW PROCLAIMED.

(By the Associated Press.)
BERLIN, Feb. 14.—Six Separatists were killed at Baduerheim, a town of 7,000 inhabitants, yesterday, in an anti-Separatist outbreak similar to that at Piermasens. A curfew has been proclaimed.

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VIENNA, Feb. 14.—Yussuf Maca Mohometan, died recently in Jugoslavia, at the age of 120, according to a Belgrade dispatch. Yussuf married thrice and one of his surviving sons is only 17 years old. Being a true follower of Prophet he never drank or smoked. His only beverage was Turkish coffee, which he consumed in vast quantities.

CONCERT AT CHATHAM.

The Virginia Girls Sextette, a singing orchestra, will give a recital in the Chatham Training School auditorium Monday evening, at 8 p. m., according to a recent announcement of Col. A. H. Camden. Negotiations leading up to the contract followed the cancellation of the engagement with the Henry Musical Company because of the serious illness of Mr. Henry's mother.

DR. GENA CREWS IS FIRST WOMAN PHYSICIAN IN CITY

Another distinction came to Danville three days ago when Dr. Gena Crews, formerly of this city, opened a clinic in the Masonic Temple as an osteopathic physician, thereby becoming the first woman to practice in this city as a licensed physician. She is also probably the first woman to practice in this city as a licensed physician.

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Miss Crews was seen in her office this morning by a reporter for The Bee at which time she stated that she came here to visit relatives last Christmas from Cleveland and with the intention of establishing herself in the city of her birth to practise the profession for which during recent years she has been equipping herself.

Dr. Crews is a daughter of J. H. Crews and is making her home with Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Reynolds on Randolph avenue. She received her early schooling graduating from Danville High School and later taking the degree of bachelor of science at Attala College, then known as Roanoke College. Giving up her work in kindergarten, Miss Crews decided to prepare herself for a career as physician and she followed the full four-year course at the mother school, the American School of Osteopathy at Kirksville, Missouri, where she secured her diploma with honors in 1918. She practised first in Paris, Missouri, and then went to Cleveland, Ohio, where she established an encouraging clientele. Just before

SAYS MEXICAN REBELLION NOW VIRTUALLY OVER

Insurgents Continue to Retreat In Disorder In All Directions.

(By the Associated Press.)

ABOARD HEADQUARTERS TRAIN OF WAR SECRETARY SERRANO QUERTARO STATE OF QUERTARO Feb. 14.—Enrique Estrada's rebellious forces are continuing in disorderly retreat after the decisive reverse suffered at Oaxaca, while the scattered remnants of the Vera Cruz Insurrectionist army are fleeing northward into Tuxpan and southward toward Coatzacoalcos. General Juan Andre Almazan stated tonight.

"The rebellion must be considered virtually ended," Secretary Serrano declared, while General Almazan, returning from Tehuacan asserted that the rebels suffered 100 casualties during their latest brush with the pursuing federal column under his command near the Balsas River in Southern Puebla.

Secretary Serrano, who left Vera Cruz today for the western front, was joined at Apizaco by General Almazan and President Obregon who came to confer with the rebels. The two leaders are continuing their operations in the northern Vera Cruz operations.

Additional to the forces under the federal command Dominguez, Diaz and Brana Izquierdo, who repulsed attacks by Sanchez troops at Santa Lucia cutting off the rebel retreat southward the Oaxaca leaders are forced to contend with the menace of a federal column under Fausto Tapete.

While it is understood Jalapa is almost ungarrisoned, the capture of this city is being delayed until they can be repaired and measures taken to deal with the forces of the rebels now holding Perote.

DEFEAT OF REBEL GENERALS REPORTED

(Associated Press Leased Wire)

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WILL BUILD NEW HOME
Contractors have been asked to bid on plans and specifications for a new dwelling to be built on West Main Street by Claude Vaden. The bids are to be opened next Wednesday according to J. B. Heard who prepared the plans. These call for an eight room modern home finished in stucco and of pure Spanish type. Work on the building which it is understood, will represent an investment of \$12,000 will begin at an early date, the architect stated.

CO-OP NOTICE
The monthly district meeting of the T. G. C. A. will meet at Braxton High School, Feb. 18, 1924, at 8 o'clock. All locals are expected to send delegates. Everybody invited.
B. R. Harvey, Dist. Sec.

Mother!

Child's Best Laxative is
"California Fig Syrup"



Tongue Shows if
Bilious, Constipated

Even if cross, feverish, bilious, constipated or full of cold, children love the pleasant taste of "California Fig Syrup." A teaspoonful never fails to clean the liver and bowels. Ask for genuine "California Fig Syrup" which has directions for babies and children of all ages printed on bottle. Mother! You must say "California" or you may get an imitation fig syrup.—adv.

A Raw, Sore Throat
Eases Quickly When You
Apply a Little Musterole

And Musterole won't blister like the old-fashioned mustard plaster. Just spread it on with your fingers. It penetrates to the sore spot with a gentle tingle, loosens the congestion and draws out the soreness and pain.

Musterole is a clean, white ointment made with oil of mustard. It is fine for quick relief from sore throat, bronchitis, tonsillitis, croup, stiff neck, asthma, neuralgia, headache, congestion, pleurisy, rheumatism, lumbago, pains and aches of the back or joints, sprains, sore muscles, bruises, chilblains, frostbites, colds on the chest. Keep it handy for instant use.

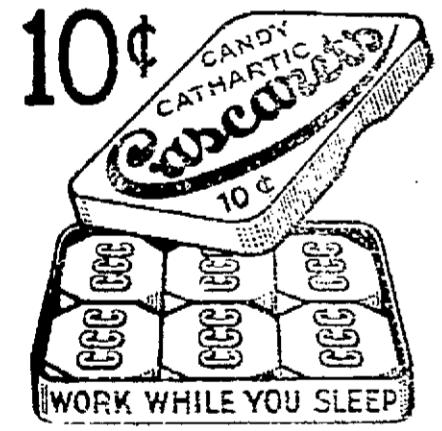
To Mothers: Musterole is now made in milder form for babies and small children. Ask for Doctor's Musterole. 35c and 65c jars and tubes; hospital size, \$3.00.



Better than a mustard plaster

Best Laxative
for Bowels

If Headachy, Bilious, Sick,
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CANDY
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WORK WHILE YOU SLEEP

Feel Sins! No griping or inconvenience follows a gentle liver and bowel cleansing with "Cocacaine." Sick Headache, Biliousness, Gasoes, Indigestion, and all such distress gone by morning. For men, women and children—10¢ boxes, also 25 and 50¢ sizes, any drug store.—adv.

**COULD NOT WALK
BECAUSE OF PAIN**

Bad Case of Woman's Illness Remedied by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

St. Louis, Missouri.—"I had such a bad case of female trouble that I could not walk because of the pains from inflammation. My back was all sore up, I could hardly bend, could not go up stairs because of weakness, and no one could possibly be in worse shape than I was. I have taken twelve bottles of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and I am a strong woman now and can work down any of my neighbors. They wonder how I can do such work. I dare say that I have recommended your medicine to a thousand women. A little book was thrown at my door, and that is how I first learned of it."—Mrs. D. M. BEAUCHAMP, 1101 Morrison Avenue, St. Louis, Mo.

Letters like this bring out the merit of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. They tell of the relief from such pains and ailments after taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

In a recent country-wide canvass of purchasers of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, 95 out of every 100 report they were benefited by its use. For sale by druggists everywhere.

Gilmer Shoe Men Conclude 3 Days Business Meet

A three-day meeting of the shoe buyers connected with Gilmer's chain of stores was concluded at the Burton Hotel last night after orders had been placed with the leading shoe manufacturers of the country for the Spring and Summer season. Twenty men from fifteen cities in Virginia, North and South Carolina where the Gilmer company is established were here viewing samples of shoes which were arrayed in the basement of the Hotel Burton and which represented all types, shapes, sizes and descriptions of footwear.

Edgar R. McDaniel, who is general shoe buyer for the Gilmer corporation and who is mainly responsible for bringing the meeting to Danville this year, stated last night that he could not divulge the amount of money represented by the orders placed during the three-day meeting but it indicated that the sum was a large one and that many thousand pairs of shoes were contracted for.

The exhibition of shoes in the basement of the Burton was not without its interest to a casual looker-on. It looked as though the basement had been converted into a shoe store. They ranged from soft sole shoes for the baby to formidable brogans into which a baby might find a comfortable seat. It was noted that bright colors predominated among the various styles of women's footwear and one of the representatives present confided in a reporter that they will be quite the thing so to speak and that the "discriminating ones" referred to in the big "ads" will chose green, bright blue and even brilliant red shoes and shoppers during the coming season.

Mr. McDaniel declared that it has been the custom for several years past to hold the meeting of Gilmer's shoe men in Winston-Salem, but this year the officials of the company recognized that Danville was a central point for Virginians and North Carolinians and they were persuaded by Mr. McDaniel to stage the event here. From 25 to 40 different lines of shoes were on exhibit here, the manufacturers being the largest in the country. Every Gilmer's store in Virginia, North and South Carolina, sent a representative and some of them two men. Cities represented included Winston-Salem, Durham, Greensboro, High Point, Lexington, Asheville, Shelby, Statesville, Raleigh, Wilson, N. C., Roanoke, Danville, Lynchburg, Norfolk, Va., and Greenville, S. C.

The meeting in Danville was purely a business affair and nearly all of the time was spent in discussing shoes and exchanging views about the modern trend. The visitors appeared to enjoy their visit to this city and Mr. McDaniel hopes to bring the shoe men of the corporation he represents together in this city again.

DAVIS STARTS A NEW TAXI SERVICE

J. M. Davis has announced the operation of a new taxi service in Danville, the concern of which he is general manager being known as the U-Drive it and Taxi Company. Mr. Davis inaugurated in Danville the plan of renting out automobiles by the hour or the day at fixed charges and in addition to this has established a new branch of the concern which will be public service automobiles driven by experienced drivers and men who may be relied upon as courteous and efficient chauffeurs.

The company will have subject to a dozen closed cars of late model. These be maintained in the garage in the rear of Leeland Hotel and will not be parked on street corners. His plan is to answer calls for service with unusual promptness persons desiring vehicles calling the concern by telephone for them. Drivers will be constantly on hand and calls will be received both night as well as day a twenty-four hour service being given.

JULIAN VAUGHN IS HOST TO FRIENDS

CHATHAM, Va., Feb. 13.—An attractive Valentine party was given by Julian Vaughn at the New Bennett Hotel on Saturday night, February 9. Progressive auction bridge was played at six tables. The living room was artistically decorated with cut flowers and potted ferns. The favors were red and white baskets filled with mints. Mr. Vaughn entertained in honor of his guests Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Matthews, Misses Frances Margaret and Mildred Neely, of Winston-Salem, N. C.; Misses Nell, Margaret and Winifred Hincherson, of Walnut Cove, N. C.; Miss Elizabeth Spangler, of Greensboro, N. C.; Bill Harston, of Walnut Cove, and Messrs. Pittet, McMechen and George Turner, of Danville, Va., who motored over for the week-end.

Thomas H. Jarrell and Miss Kallie Glasgow, both of Leavittsville, are another Carolina couple licensed Tuesday in this city.

ONLY 1800 PERMITS HAVE BEEN ISSUED; WILL ENFORCE LAW

Although the month is nearly half gone, only about 1,800 city permits to operate automobiles had been issued up to last night. It is estimated by Chief of Police Bell and his associates that at least 3,000 cars will be licensed in this city by the state during the current year. One explanation of the delay in securing city automobile permits, which are required by law, is that many secured their license tags locally and afterwards wrote to the secretary of the commonwealth for their registration cards, these generally deferring application for the local permit until the registration cards are received. This is not necessary, however.

"The geese will bite 'em next week," said Chief Bell yesterday in discussing the matter of city permits. His mind, however, was clear. Local operators have been indulged until now, but the indulgence will end with this week. And Sunday is the first day of "next week."

O'CONNOR WELCOMES ANY INVESTIGATION

(By the Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, Feb. 13.—Investigation of the administration on the Shipping Board, called for in a resolution introduced by Representative Davis, Democrat, Tennessee, "will be welcomed by me, and I believe all other members of the board," Chairman O'Connor said today in discussing statements in the proposed inquiry.

"The reports of the board is as public records," said the chairman, and we will be glad to turn them over whenever Congress wishes."

OFFICERS DESTROY THREE BIG STILLS

Three large stills were captured and destroyed in Franklin county yesterday by Prohibition Inspector W. T. Edwards of Danville, and others of the State's Office of Danville yesterday morning and on reaching Marion found that the stills were hidden in the woods. The Franklin county sheriff and the police and state troopers officers assisted in the raid. The stills were in the vicinity of Town Creek church, Franklin county, one and a half miles east of the church and two others a half mile west of the church. In the raid, 100 bushels of three (20) gallon kegs of "Big 12" large beer fermenting, 100 bushels of corn, 100 bushels of whiskey. Officers participating in the raid were Captain Prohibition Inspector James Eddie, G. P. Hayes, Sheriff, N. C., W. A. Anthony, Deacon of Spencer, Va.

Local Club Asked To Approve Bill

At the meeting of the Business and Professional Women's Club of this city tonight the organization is expected to take action on six congressional or legislative bills now pending. Among these is the Reed bill, introduced in the House by the member from New York and the title of which is:

"To create a Department of Education, to authorize appropriations for the conduct of said department, to authorize the appropriation of money to encourage the States in the promotion and support of education, and for other purposes."

This measure which is being advocated by many organizations of an educational character proposes to create a Secretary of Education with an annual salary of \$12,000, and have the new department supervised by the present Bureau of Education and shall be represented in the cabinet, just as all the major departments of the government are now represented.

The bill would authorize the department to conduct researches in illiteracy, as to immigrant children, public school education and especially rural education; physical education, including health education, recreation and sanitation, preparation and supply of competent teachers for the public schools, and finally, higher education.

An appropriation of \$500,000 is provided for the maintenance of the department for the first year, and an appropriation of \$7,500,000 is asked for the war on illiteracy; a similar sum would be provided for the Americanization of immigrants. In order to encourage the States to equalize educational opportunities, fifty million dollars is to be appropriated to be used in public elementary and secondary schools, for the partial payment of salaries of teachers better instruction and extension of school terms, etc.

Conditions are affixed which limit the benefits of this appropriation to such States as provided by law a legal school term of at least 24 weeks in each year for the benefit of all children school age; a compulsory school attendance law requiring all between 7 and 14 years to attend one school for at least 24 weeks each year; and finally that English shall be the basic language of instruction in common school branches. Twenty millions dollars is proposed for the purpose of physical education; \$15,000,000 to encourage the States in the preparation of teachers.

Other provisions of the bill designate the methods of carrying into effect the various phases of the measure, the effect of which is to give the federal government some control in education in the various States, not superseding the efforts of the State itself, but supplementing them.

The Business and Professional Women's Club is expected to take some action favoring the enactment of the bill.

MARRIAGE RECORD REVEALS ROMANCE; 13TH IS DULL DAY

The 13th of February seemed to be a poor day for weddings, judged by the marriage license record, for only one was issued and that to a colored couple. It is assumed that most of those contemplating matrimony are awaiting today, the day to lovers consecrated and popularly known as St. Valentine's Day.

A marriage of more than usual interest and probably not without romance was that last Sunday of Nicholas A. Matney and Miss Marie L. Harper, both of this city, who were joined in wedlock by the Rev. J. Cleve Land Hall, D. D., of the Episcopal church. Both bride and groom are natives of Marion, Lebanon, in distant Syria, and their marriage in the land of their birth far from the place of their birth is the culmination of a pretty romance.

On Tuesday licenses to wed were issued to George W. Alexander and Miss Nannie Poole, both of Greensboro, N. C., who came to this city to marry.

Thomas H. Jarrell and Miss Kallie Glasgow, both of Leavittsville, are another Carolina couple licensed Tuesday in this city.

LYNN HARRIS IS ADOPTED

Although the month is nearly half gone, only about 1,800 city permits to operate automobiles had been issued up to last night. It is estimated by Chief of Police Bell and his associates that at least 3,000 cars will be licensed in this city by the state during the current year. One explanation of the delay in securing city automobile permits, which are required by law, is that many secured their license tags locally and afterwards wrote to the secretary of the commonwealth for their registration cards, these generally deferring application for the local permit until the registration cards are received. This is not necessary, however.

"The geese will bite 'em next week," said Chief Bell yesterday in discussing the matter of city permits. His mind, however, was clear. Local operators have been indulged until now, but the indulgence will end with this week. And Sunday is the first day of "next week."

O'CONNOR WELCOMES ANY INVESTIGATION

(By the Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, Feb. 13.—Investigation of the administration on the Shipping Board, called for in a resolution introduced by Representative Davis, Democrat, Tennessee, "will be welcomed by me, and I believe all other members of the board," Chairman O'Connor said today in discussing statements in the proposed inquiry.

"The reports of the board is as public records," said the chairman, and we will be glad to turn them over whenever Congress wishes."

OFFICERS DESTROY THREE BIG STILLS

Three large stills were captured and destroyed in Franklin county yesterday by Prohibition Inspector W. T. Edwards of Danville, and others of the State's Office of Danville yesterday morning and on reaching Marion found that the stills were hidden in the woods. The Franklin county sheriff and the police and state troopers officers assisted in the raid. The stills were in the vicinity of Town Creek church, Franklin county, one and a half miles east of the church and two others a half mile west of the church. In the raid, 100 bushels of three (20) gallon kegs of "Big 12" large beer fermenting, 100 bushels of corn, 100 bushels of whiskey. Officers participating in the raid were Captain Prohibition Inspector James Eddie, G. P. Hayes, Sheriff, N. C., W. A. Anthony, Deacon of Spencer, Va.

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LARGE CROWDS WATCH FIRPO IN HIS WORKOUTS

(Associated Press Leased Wire) BUENOS AIRES, Feb. 14.— Luis Angel Firpo has fully recovered the popularity he lost among his countrymen when he applied for citizenship papers in the United States if the attendance of spectators at his training exhibitions in preparations for fights with Lodge and Spalla can be taken as a criterion.

Firpo's outdoor work is held at a small place called Lauro Park, originally devoted to exhibitions of freaks and some charmers which daily has crowded to its capacity of 2,000 despite an admission fee of seventy centavos. Bursts of enthusiasm come from the on-lookers whenever Luis lands an occasional blow that staggers a sparring partner.

The "wild bull," who is to meet Lodge an American heavyweight next Saturday and Spalla, European heavyweight champion, on February 24, both in 15-round matches, did little hard training under the arrival of

PRIEST IS HELD FOR MURDERING HOUSEKEEPER

Claims It Was Accident—Butler Claims He Was Shot at Also.

(Associated Press Leased Wire) PITTSBURGH, Penna., Feb. 14.—Efforts of the police to get a satisfactory explanation of the killing of Anna McDonough, 40, housekeeper for Rev. J. J. Grady, 60, of St. Francis Xavier's Catholic Church here last night have yielded meager results. Rev. Grady, police say, declares the shot came from a pistol lying on his desk that was accidentally discharged while he was cleaning a desk drawer.

Robert Shields, junior of the parish, who ran to the priest's study when he heard Miss McDonough fall to the floor, told police Rev. Grady was standing in the doorway with pistol in hand when he came on the scene and fired at him, the shot going wild. A struggle for the weapon followed. Shields is declared to have said, Margaret McDonough, sister of the dead woman, who with Shields is being held as a material witness, told officers she too engaged in a tussle for the gun.

Grady, police say, refused to talk for more than an hour after he was taken in custody and then could not be shaken from the accident story. He denied shooting at Shields, saying at first but one chamber was fired and later admitting he did not know how many were discharged. Police say two chambers were empty.

Grady, who is said to have recently suffered a nervous breakdown, will be turned over to the coroner today following which a murder charge will be formally lodged against him.

WEATHER FORECAST

(Associated Press Leased Wire) WASHINGTON, Feb. 14.—Virginia: Fair tonight and Friday, slightly warmer in east portion tonight; colder in extreme west portion Friday. North Carolina: Fair tonight and Friday, slightly colder Friday and in extreme southwest portion tonight.

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THREE FACTS IN WILLIAMSON CO. AT PRESENT

Until Unorganized Majority Take Hand, Trouble Will Always Be Brewing—Young's Clean-Up Drive.

(By J. P. XODER
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HEINRICH, Ills., Feb. 14.— Bloody Williamson county will retain its unavoidable name just so long as the unorganized majority of the merchants, bankers and merely home folks continue to exercise their right of franchise nonchalantly or not all.

That fact is perfectly obvious to an observer after even a brief delving into a condition of affairs that has twice in six weeks, and four times in something over a year, brought the state's armed forces down here to plant machine guns in windows and on street corners and to patrol the streets with bayonets fixed.

It has been so long a case of "Let George do it," that George living in a county that is the Breathitt county of Illinois and that was indeed founded chiefly from the better element of that erstwhile gun-toting Kentucky community, that George began to swagger about with a gun on his hip and imagine himself immune. Naturally trouble followed.

The fact was discovered by Major General Foreman, in charge of the militia, before he had been here 24 hours and he is today holding conferences with leaders of the heretofore unorganized majority in the hope of evolving a civil government that will be stable and effective until an election can go to the root of the disease with a real cure.

There is no question that C. Glenn Young, the young crusading rascal, whose hobby of law enforcement amounts to an obsession, did much toward alleviating a bad situation.

But there was too much factionalism, prejudice and individual aggrandizement in the method of his fervid followers. True, the calling in of Young to clean up Williamson county was similar in many ways in the drafting of General Smedley Butler, but in one essential in particular it was different.

The constituted authority of Philadelphia employed Butler. Here, a fraction of more or less direct action citizens, most of them Ku Klux Klansmen, took the government in their hands and set up Young as a sort of super authority. Youngism couldn't last and Young said so to the writer in Chicago back in December. Nor can military rule last. A General Foreman is today telling prominent business men throughout the country, at charge of six thousand dollars a day for the county.

Because employment of Young was really seizure of authority it was vulnerable to successful opposition and attack by the very elements against whom the better government efforts were directed. Dozens of business and professional men frankly admit that conditions in the country have been terrible for sometime. Saloons, small stills and miniature cellars, break-ins were openly selling beer, wine and all grades of moonshine, and some court officials were profiting thereby. There were also other forms of law violation.

But all the Glenn Youngs and all the militia in the country have and will continue merely to alleviate but not cure the sickness of Williamson's body politics. General Foreman said Williamson today is as law abiding as any community in the country and will continue so, so long as the militia stays out but until the unorganized majority takes hold as it should Williamson will remain a powder house of trouble.

With the coming of Young there were three factions. The lawless element, the self-appointed vigilantes under Young, and a far larger section composed of the apathetic majority. General Foreman has set himself to arouse the last to take over the reins.

Instead of putting uniformed in the place of authority and voiding the courts there are major pro-tempore acting sheriffs, and so on down the line, although there are ever in evidence squads of soldiers marching guns ready for instant action and other signs of the mailed fist.

All this the regular calls of the bugle and the train of men in military formation seems incongruous as housewives make their rounds of shopping and children stream along the sidewalks on their way to school.

As a matter of fact, the whole situation is incongruous. Since the Herrin massacre, this town of 20,000, even considering the difference in size, is no worse than Chicago, New York or Philadelphia. As a business man put it rather plaintively today: "Why on us?" Take Chicago. Two men were shot down in cold blood in that Checker Taxi was Saturday. They made a total of five in a few days. A week back three gunmen invaded a crowded ball room and killed one man and shot two more. A few days before that two men shot down another in a crowded theatre lobby. They have been eight men killed in the beer running cases. Why not militia rule there?"

Herrin is a small place, and it has had a name. A street shooting looks bigger here because it is carried out in a more rough and ready small town manner. There was only one man killed in the fracas that resulted in bringing the militia here, in fact that is the only shooting affray since the cleanup campaign started.

Williamson has forgotten that frontier days have passed and in a small way is singing, rather raucously, it is true, the swan song of what is left of the Illinois frontier.

Curious Gold Ring Found By Firemen

(Associated Press Leased Wire) NEW HAVEN, Conn., Feb. 14.—An oddly-shaped gold ring, thought to have been owned by British royalty and talisman in detail with one which disappeared from the English coast in 1750, was found by Charles Burns, bosman of the local fire department in the sand near Thimble Islands in Long Island sound on the Connecticut shore. Thimble Islands are noted as having been a rendezvous of the famous Captain Kidd and it is believed that the ring was a part of the pirate's treasure trove.

Burns was on a clamming trip when he unearthed the ring. It is composed of four bands joined by clasped hands, was worn by Lady Catherine Grey and signified her marriage with the Earl of Hertford. Queen Elizabeth, disappointed with the union, sent Hertford to the tower of London in confinement and subjected Lady Catherine to many hardships until the validity of marriage was proved. The marriage was dissolved later by a commission and was pronounced in the palace of the bishop of London in 1562.

Will Act Tonight On Legislation to Issue Bonds

(Associated Press Leased Wire) RICHMOND, Va., Feb. 14.—The fate of legislation designed to amend the constitution so that the state may issue bonds for capital outlays for its higher educational institutions is expected to be decided tonight at a joint hearing of the Virginia senate public institutions and education committee and the public committee on schools and colleges.

The resolutions were offered in the House by Delegate Jesse and in the

Senate by Senator Barksdale. Under present provisions of the constitution the state can not issue bonds to construct new buildings and add equipment to its higher educational institutions. The resolutions are designed to remedy this situation.

Among the educators who will appear at the hearing tonight are Dr. J. D. Eggleston, president of the Hampden-Sydney College, Dr. J. A. Chandler, president of the college of William and Mary, Dr. A. A. Alderman, president of the University of Virginia, and Dr. Douglas Freeman, editor of the Richmond News-Leader.

—S. Green, a former resident of Danville, but now of Baltimore, is on a business visit to his old home.

MacDonald Is Working too Hard

(By the Associated Press)

LONDON, Feb. 14.—Stanley Baldwin's sympathetic reference in the house of commons to the burdens being borne by the Prime Minister was based, according to Parliamentary writers, in recognition that Ramsay MacDonald actually is in a very poor state of health.

Like many other muscular men, they say, he was physical frailties which prescribe limits to his exertions and as he has been "working like a horse" since he was called to office he has probably overtaxed his strength. The writers predict that

unless the prime minister conserves his energies, he is likely to suffer a physical breakdown, necessitating a long rest.

Mr. Baldwin's reference to the matter last "to all here hope that imminent double burden of the premier and minister of foreign affairs which he has assumed may not be too much for him" will be too much for him."

COMMUNIST DISORDERS AT STETTIN REPORTED

(Associated Press Leased Wire) BERLIN, Feb. 14.—Communist disorders are reported from Stettin. Dispatches received here say that a police force of policemen was fired upon houses last night. One of the officers was wounded. The police returned the fire, killing one and wounding seven.

The Temple Shop

Important Announcement

While alterations are being made in our permanent quarters, we are located right across the hall temporarily, and business is going on as usual.

Spring Time Garments Are Being Featured.

Dresses that cannot fail to fascinate you are here in many styles, materials and colorings depicting the latest fashions. These are being featured at prices that will appeal to your sense of saving.

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Your Spring Wardrobe will not be complete without one of these beautiful garments which fashion decrees to be one of the leading articles of apparel for this season. These are being shown in the much wanted "Boyish" cut and many other attractive styles, at a great saving to you.

Spring Top Coats and Capes

In the last few days the express has been bringing to us a host of very smart things in nearly every conceivable material, style and coloring at a very substantial saving.

During the period of changes our rooms are undergoing every garment in this shop will be featured at reduced prices.

Important announcement to follow later that will be of interest to you.

The Temple Shop

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is knocking at your door, and it is your fault if you don't grasp it without delay. Bible reading must be revived—let's do our part. Here's your chance to help.

The Register and Bee

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SOCIAL ACTIVITIES

The most prominent and interesting event of this week in Danville is the marriage of Miss Frances Boatwright, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Lee Boatwright, at their home in Chestnut Place, Saturday afternoon. The ceremony will take place Saturday evening at the bride's home, 304 Main street.

The marriage will take place at 3 o'clock p.m. in the presence of relatives of the bride and groom, and a few close friends of the family. At 6 o'clock, following the ceremony, a reception will be given to which several hundred people have been invited.

Many out-of-town guests have already arrived and are staying at Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Boatwright's, Mr. and Mrs. John Boatwrights, at their home in Chestnut Place, Miss T. Ashby in Chestnut Place, Miss E. Weller and other close friends of the family. The Carter Class and Miss Glass of Washington, will arrive Saturday afternoon to the wedding and will be guests of their son and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. John Boatwright.

Many brilliant social functions are being given to the bridal party and out-of-town guests. Today at 1 o'clock, Mrs. Rucker Penn and her daughter, Miss Maze Wills Penn, gave a beautifully appointed luncheon in honor of the bride-elect and Miss Katherine James, whose marriage to Howard Estes Dudley, of this city, is to take place February 28, and Mrs. T. Randolph Parkinson, a recent bride. This evening the bridal party will be entertained at a buffet-supper given by Mrs. Fredrick Gravely. Mrs. Roger A. James, Jr., will entertain the bridal party tomorrow at a luncheon, to be given at the Country Club.

Mr. and Mrs. John Boatwright, brother and sister of the bride-elect, have issued invitations to a dance which will be given at the Golf Club Saturday evening, following the reception.

An Evening of Music

Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Rupp entertained about 50 of their friends at their home on Wilson street last evening in a unique way. It was an evening of music at which a number of local music lovers were heard, one of the features being renderings of famous classics by noted performers of the present day on a reproducing piano which duplicates faithfully the delicate phrasing and shading of these artists. The piano afforded accompaniment both for vocal and instrumental selections which were exceptionally well rendered. The soloists on this occasion included Mrs. Allen T. Gage, Benjamin Kingoff, Mrs. Adolph Hoffman and M. B. Ramos. Following the program a course of refreshments was served, the hostess being assisted in serving by Mrs. Harry Berman.

Visitors Honored

Mrs. Stafford Patterson, of Wilson, N. C., who is visiting her sister, Mrs. Robert Bendall, and Mrs. Hugh Guerrant of Durham, N. C., guest of Mrs. J. Cleve Hester, were complimented yesterday afternoon by Mrs. W. W. Keeling who entertained at two tables of bridge, the honor, at her home on Main and Vernon ave.

A pink and white color scheme was attractively carried out in decorations and refreshments.

The score prize, Madeira handchief, was won by Mrs. Crews Wooding, and a lovely Madeira tray cover was given to the guest of honor.



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THE WOMAN'S PAGE

**SOCIETY NEWS
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PRINCESS



She looks like a doll but is a real princess. Her name is Antoinette and she is the daughter of Princess Charlotte of Monaco.

Former Resident Weds

Of interest, especially, to the older citizens of Danville, is the appended account of the marriage of William Duncan Judkins, formerly of this city, to Mrs. W. R. Leaken, of Savannah, Ga., which is contained in a recent issue of the Savannah Press. The wedding took place in that city on February 6th.

"The marriage of Mrs. W. R. Leaken and William Duncan Judkins of Danville, Va., took place quietly today at noon at the home of the bride on East Thirty-seventh street. The ceremony, which was performed by the Rev. Neal L. Anderson, D. D., pastor of the Independent Presbyterian Church, was witnessed only by members of the family and Mr. and Mrs. Judkins left early in the afternoon for Florida."

"Mr. and Mrs. Charles Huston, Miss Ruth Huston and Mrs. Stewart Huston arrived yesterday afternoon on a dapp cloth and the article should be rinsed in boiling water containing a bit of ammonia. Then rub dry with a chamois.

SILVER POLISH

Odor gas mantles make excellent silver polish. They should be applied on a dapp cloth and the article should be rinsed in boiling water containing a bit of ammonia. Then rub dry with a chamois.

GREEN FOR SPRING

Green is one of the best sellers among spring dresses. Blue and shades of roses are also very smart.

POLISHING NICKEL

The nickel portions of your range should be polished occasionally with a paste of whiting and alcohol.

SILVER TEA

Circles of the Woman's Missionary Society of Main Street Methodist church will give a silver tea at the home of Mrs. Thomas A. Smoot \$1 Main street, Thursday afternoon, February 21.

Prominent Visitors

Among the guests arriving today to attend the marriage of Miss Florence Boatwright and Robert Hawley Sanford are: Mrs. John Miller, of Richmond and Mrs. Harry Jamison, of Louisville, Ky. Mrs. Miller and Mrs. Jamison will be guests of Mrs. T. A. Volta.

New Students at R. M. I.

The following young women have been admitted to the Randolph-Macon Institute for the second semester: Miss Jean Harris, of Vicksburg, Miss.; Miss Mary Clara Cochran, of McAfee, Okla.; Miss Mildred Durett, of Green-Charlotte, N. C.; Miss Wilma Cross, of Salem, Va.; Miss Helen Spencer, of Hot Coal, West Va.

Silver Tea

The silver tea usually given on Thursdays by the ladies of Calvary Church has been postponed until Friday afternoon, when Mrs. Herbert Martin, Mrs. W. A. Garner and Mrs. McNeilly, will be joint hostesses, at the home of Mrs. Martin on West Main street.

Junior Choir Meeting

The Junior Choir of Main Street Methodist church will meet with Mrs. A. T. Gunn at her home in Chestnut Place, immediately after school, this afternoon.

Colds

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a Valentine

By ERIC BRALEY

It's Leap Year now, oh, Lady Mine
(I wish you were, I wish you were)
And "Will you be my Valentine?"
Is not a question, I aver,
Which I should ask of you: nay, nay,
The thing should go the other way.

It's Leap Year now, and I opine
It is your turn to beg and plead.
With "Will you be my Valentine?"
To which I ought to give no heed,
(You've never needed plea of mine
Nor said you'd be my Valentine).

It's Leap Year now, your turn to cry
"Oh, won't you be my Valentine?"
And 'twould be only fair were I
To turn away and give no sign,
But should you ask me, I must state
You wouldn't have too long to wait.

It's Leap Year now, but I know this,
You will not follow out that line:
You will not say, "Oh, give me bliss,
I prithee be my Valentine."
If I should wait that word from you
I'd wait and wait my whole life through.

Yet I am proud, who once was meek,
I put it thus, "I would be thine;
It's Leap Year now, your turn to speak—
But I will be your Valentine
Whether you ask or not, my dear,
This year—or any other year!"

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The Tangle

An Intimate Story of Innermost Emotions Revealed in Private Letters

LETTER FROM SALLY ATHERTON TO BEATRICE GRIMSHAW

Well here I am, dear Bee, and nicely settled. I like my work immensely, and am especially pleased with my new boss, John Alden Prescott, whom you have met. I think Leslie certainly should be especially happy in her married life, but some way, back in my head, I have a feeling that she isn't.

I can't possibly think, however, that Mr. Prescott is to blame. He seems so frank and sincere and altogether pleasant. You know I haven't seen Leslie since before her marriage. I wonder if she has changed. I always thought her a dangerous thing for a very wealthy girl to marry a poor man, you know.

I have often wondered why Mr. Hamilton did not settle a sum of money upon Leslie when she married. It seems he had some of fastidious idea that every young man and woman should live upon what his husband could make. Modern fathers forget that their daughters bring up great luxury instead of making them capable of living on the small salary.

Of course, my dear Bee, I have no valid reason for writing any of these things to you. The only thing which makes me think all is not right with Leslie and her husband is the fact that he is poor man, & dreadfully worried over something I know it isn't money, for being a secretary and knowing all about his financial affairs, I can see that he is not in debt. But I have heard him say many times in the few days I have been here that he visited him could afford to give Leslie a new motor or some other expensive thing I know she has been accustomed to having.

He is a great big boy, Bee, open-hearted and open-handed, quick to anger and just as quick to acknowledge his mistake. He is a perfect genius for advertising. I told him this morning that he was wasting his talents by working on a salary and he seemed greatly pleased. Then his face clouded as he volunteered the information that he did not have money enough to start in business for himself. I should think Leslie would ask her father to back her husband in business.

Perhaps you think it is strange that I am talking so much about Mr. Prescott and saying nothing about Mr. Alden. Prescott, but the fact is, I have not seen Leslie since I arrived. I wrote her a letter saying I wanted to put our acquaintance and friendship purely on a business basis, and I perhaps she was hurt by it. You know, Bee, how impossible it is for employers and employees to meet so easily.

Don't say I am proud and foolish, for I know that better than you. It has been my greatest handicap in life. My pride is easily hurt and does not heal readily after it is hurt. I think that was the great trouble between Sam and me. He was always pricking my pride with his scatological speeches and then laughing at my annoyance.

I see that Paula Perier will be in

town tomorrow and with her is coming Dick Summers. I am going to try and see him, and then I will write to you about it.

With much love, SALLY.
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Marriage Gets Preference



Despite a variance in age, the unmarried woman is always presented to the married one, except where there is a marked difference in years.

All Fat People Should Know This

Fat people owe a debt of gratitude to the author of the now famous Marmola Prescription, and are still more indebted for the reduction of this harmless effective obesity remedy to tablet form. Marmola Prescription Tablets can be obtained at all drug stores the world over at the reasonable price of one dollar for a case, or receipt of price from Marmola Co., 4612 Woodward Ave., Detroit, Mich. This now leaves no excuse for dieting, violent exercise, or disgusting greases and salves, for the reduction of the overfat body to normal—ad.



The "Gets-It" painless way to end corns for ever is miles ahead of any think. Tip it simply apply two or three drops to any corn or callus, let it stand a minute, then wash off completely. Soon you can peel the corn or callus right off with your fingers, root and all. Corns but a trifle. Satisfaction guaranteed with your corns or money back. E. Lawrence & Co., Chicago. Sold everywhere.

Guranteed Relief From Rheumatic Pain With New Powder From Italy

Shake It In Your Shoes—No Medicine to Take.

Science has at last found a harmless external treatment for rheumatism. This new discovery has brought almost miraculous relief from pain to hundreds of even the so-called "hopeless" cases.

Alessandro Volta, the well-known Italian physicist for whom the electric voltmeter was named, discovered scientific combination of certain ingredients which he prepared in the form of a fine powder which is intended to be a pure Urtic Acid Solvent. This powder he has called VOLTA. It is not taken internally, but is shaken into the shoes, where immediately it seems to be absorbed into the blood stream through the myriad pores of the feet. This absorption is aided by the fact that the soles of the feet contain 10 times the number of pores found in any other part of the body.

You can get a box of Volta, with absolute guarantee of quick relief from such good drugstores as A. W. Jacob's & Co. Booth's Drug Store, J. C. McFall's Drug Store, Frank McFall's Drug Store—adr.

So remarkable and rapid have been the results from the use of Volta powder, both in this country and in Italy, that the American distributors have authorized local druggists to dispense Volta with an unqualified guarantee of relief from the use of the very first package of your money will be refunded.

If you suffer from rheumatic pains, Sclatica, Lumbar Gout or Neuralgia, you owe it to yourself to try this startling scientific treatment. It is absolutely harmless and will not cost one cent. You do not receive wonderful results.

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The World's Greatest Palmists.

They have helped thousands. Why not let them help you.

Once of a life-time.

Palmist Parlor

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Over Kinross Jewelry Shop.



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Hughes' Suggestion Is Not Popular

(Associated Press Leased Wire) WASHINGTON, Feb. 14.—Chairman Johnson and other members of the house immigration committee appeared disillusioned today to comply with the suggestion made by Secretary Hughes that Japan be placed on the same quota basis as other nations in the immigration bill pending before the committee. Mr. Hughes in a letter placed before the committee today said provisions of the bill which single out Japanese immigrants for exclusion are unconstitutional with the treaty of 1911 and, if enacted, might "largely undo the work of the Washington conference on limitation of armaments which greatly improved our relations with Japan."

Mr. Johnson, however, in commenting upon the secretary's letter which was made public last night, said fourteen of the seventeen members of the committee had approved the provision and predicted that it would remain in the bill.

Employed Boys Defeat Draper

The Danville Y. M. C. A. Employed Boys team had a rather easy time with the Draper Y. M. C. A. Junior team defeating them by the score of 19 to 1.

The first half was fairly even and ended by the score of 7 to 0, but Nolan broke loose in the second half with three baskets in rapid succession. The Draper boys were some what lighter than the local team but put up a game fight all the way, inability to cage the tall albatross having a number of easy chances was their main fault.

Draper, Reynolds and Nolan caged the ball three times while Culpepper and Noderer did some clever guarding. The line up:

Draper (1) Danville (19)

F. Mitchell Reynolds

F. Pequa McCubbin

C. Gouldin Nolan

G. Cuasey Culpepper

G. Hawks Noderer

Substitutions:—Mitchell for Cuasey, Turner for Mitchell; Nance for Culpepper.

Final goals:—Reynolds 3; Nolan 3;

Foul goals:—Turner 1 out of 1;

Referee: Riddle.

GRETNA NEWS NOTES

(Special to The Bee.)

GRETNA, Va., Feb. 14.—Claude Tucker and Miss Doris S. Hodnett, of Glenland, Pittsylvania county, were married in Gretna Thursday, February 7th, by Rev. J. W. Barbour. Only a few of the intimate friends of the contracting parties witnessed the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Tucker will reside at Glenland where the groom is engaged in farming.

Messrs. Fred and Terry Pickrel, two brothers, living near Gretna, have been very ill for some time. They are among the oldest citizens in this section. John William Compton, who is nearly 82 years old, is quite ill at his home near Gretna.

John Kendrick, a merchant at Museville, has purchased the store near Piney Fork which for the past several years was operated by W. R. Amos & Son. Mr. Kendrick is now making some improvements on the building and expects to have in a large and up-to-date stock of goods within a few days.

Preston Bolling, of near Gretna, accidentally cut a small place on his hand some time ago while cutting up a hog he had just butchered. The wound became infected and he is now in Charlottesville where his hand is being treated. He is reported to be improving.

Sore, Bleeding Gums Stopped In 12 Hours

Creosene. A Pleasant Penetrating Liquid, Curative Medication Direct to Roots of Teeth, Killing the Germs that Lead to Pyorrhoea, Saving Pain and Dental Expenses. Your Dentist Will Refund Your Money If Relief Does Not Come In 12 Hours.

This new discovery is a pleasant, penetrating liquid, medicated with gum tissue healing and germ-destroying ingredients used by the dental profession, compounded in connection with a penetrating agency which carries the medication direct to the roots of the teeth, relieving pain, tightening loose teeth, healing pockets, destroying decayed teeth odors and killing the germ that leads to pyorrhoea.

The medicines used in Creosene are not new, but are well known and used by the entire dental profession. The new discovery is the method of penetration which carries these tissue healing, germ-destroying medications direct to the roots of the teeth and into every nook, corner and crevice; and between the teeth, thereby accomplishing at home in a pleasant way all the good benefits of a treatment in the dental chair, without the pain and expense. If your gums are sore and bleed easily, or your teeth sensitive or loose, this is your warning or pyorrhoea ahead. Do not wait one minute, but go immediately to any good drug store and purchase a dollar bottle of Creosene with the positive guarantee of relief in twelve hours or money refunded. Creosene Company, Atlanta, Ga.—adv.

More Charges Are Brought Against Fall

(Continued from Page One.) copy of Sutro's opinion in the files of the interior department and there had been official correspondence about it. None of us wanted Mr. Doheny to get into control, the letter quoted.

A Mr. Story "told me," Bain said in the letter, "that he objected to the concentration of the lease and that it would embarrass the department and congress. He said he 'realized that it would make trouble-bakers in congress.' He said he 'realized that objection of asking for such an opinion.'

The Bain letter follows:

"509 Custom Place,
San Francisco, Calif.
May 12, 1922.
Hon. Albert B. Fall,

Dear Mr. Secretary:

"I have been here for last few days arranging for a transfer of the accumulated royalty oil and for future royalty oils to the Pan-American Co. I have been surprised to find the Standard and General Petroleum are adopting a very technical attitude toward raising a question toward the company which would be safe in making such a transfer or later handing any of the oil in question, the Pan-American desired to have them do so."

"As you will recall, Mr. Sutro and Mr. Wyle have been doubtful as to the right of the department to make the contract. They now seem to have become positive that such rights exists and Mr. Storey is even interpreting the law so far as to question the right of the Standard to deliver oil to the Pan-American on order. I have arranged that the department shall receive the oil and give a receipt for it and while I am not a lawyer, my impression is that that should end the matter as far as piping line companies are concerned."

"Of course this is not a matter which primarily concerns the department, since we have all been entirely clear in our minds as to the right of the government to make this exchange and have in fact gone ahead and contracted for the exchange with the Pan-American and the latter is an entirely responsible condition."

"There is, however, another phase of it. None of us want Mr. Doheny to get into trouble and I take it we will want to do anything we can to make it easy for him. I have been told that there was a definite proposal to have one of the smaller oil companies go into court and fight this contract with a view to getting a decision as to the right of the department to make such a bargain. This proposal was not carried through."

"Mr. Storey tells me that he objected to it as he felt that it would embarrass the department and would give support to the oil makers in Congress. He professed to be anxious and willing to do anything he can to help the department to carry out its plans, but to be in the awkward position of having an opinion from his attorney which might be quoted against him in case the matter ever came up."

"Out of all this has come the suggestion repeatedly that the opinion of attorney general be observed as to the legality of the contract. I realize the objections to asking such an opinion but I have thought it proper to let you know the difficulties that are being raised here so that you might reconsider the matter and decide as whether you might not properly ask the attorney general to put in writing what I have understood was his informal and verbal exception of opinion favorable to the action the department has taken."

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Band Plays "Ain't We Got Fun" at This Man's Burial

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M. Tanton's will obliged his heirs to fulfill his condition of a jazz funeral, with a "full brass band although Andenes and the surrounding country was shocked."

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BONES IN BODY OF LADY TESHA DEAD 3,000 YEARS SHATTERED

(Associated Press Leased Wire) MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Feb. 14.—A conference of doctors was called yesterday to determine whether she had died of death after nothing was known of the case's contents. X-ray plates were developed yesterday and showed that the Lady Tesha, daughter of the door-keeper of the Golden House of Amon, dead 3,000 years, had hardly a whole bone in her body.

The body, wrapped in yards of linen, painted with gum and waxed, is in the Minneapolis Institute of Arts, where it was brought in 1916, after having been excavated from her tomb at Thebes, Egypt, several years previously.

Because of the unusual beauty of the painted scenes on the mummy case, no effort has been made to open it and until yesterday nothing was known of the case's contents.

It was either team's game until the final whistle as no time was their any decided advantage.

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A THOUGHT

It is good for a man that he
bear the yoke in his youth.—Lam-
bs.

Live as long as you may, the
first 20 years are the longest half
of your life.—Southey.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 14, 1924.

THE DEAD MISCHIEF MAKER

Despite his long last sleep of more
than three thousand years, the dead
Pharaoh is still capable of causing
trouble. People with a bent for super-
stition will see signs and portents
in the death of the Earl of Carnarvon
whose money made the excavations
in the Valley of Kings and the dis-
covery of Tut-Ankh-Amen's tomb a
possibility. They will also attach
significance to the sudden closing of
the tomb and the symptoms of a
national incident between the British
government and the Egyptian govern-
ment.

The vivified world is still ruminating
over the important discovery
made last Monday when after more
than a year's careful work, the dra-
matic moment in the history of
Egyptology arrived as the massive
slab of granite placed over the sarcophagus or coffin of the one-time
ruler of Egypt was hoisted. It re-
vealed the mortal remains of a king
of what was then the most powerful
country in the world, reposing in a
mummy case of beaten gold, the
lure of which shone forth in the
brilliant electric lights which had
flooded the sepulchre. It must have
been an entralling moment. We
read that the imaginations of the beh-
olders ran riot as the lid was lifted.
To one of the witness it appeared
that even the hieroglyphic figures
painted on the wall of the tomb be-
came animate and joined in peering
into the coffin as the lid rose, reveal-
ing the one-time monarch, the sceptre
of power in one hand and the flag-
lion in the other.

The rift between Howard Carter
who has had charge of the opening
of the tomb and the securing of the
historic data and the Egyptian gov-
ernment may mean that the corpse
of the Tut-Ankh-Amen will not be
further disturbed. There has been
a sentiment against what in Egypt
has been called the desecration of the
dead which has not taken second
place to the rather natural demand
of modern civilization to clean every
scintilla of mute evidence to be ex-
plained in the grave. It is quite pos-
sible that the Pharaoh will remain
inviolate even though the tomb be
left open to visitors. The story is
true this batch which reached a
crisis yesterday and which has been
brewing for several months is one
dealing with the size of the compen-
sation to be paid for the services
rendered in excavating, obtaining the
work of art, etc. The British ex-
pedition which undertook the work
claims under its contract with the
Egyptian government the right to
keep handicraft by selling the
native crafts. These were sold to the
London Times which also entered
an arrangement with the New
York Times for the publication of
the "inside" story—these being the
only two newspapers to whom Mr. Carter
caused to tell what took place
within the tomb while the wonderful
discoveries were being made.

The Egyptian government has said
that worldwide interest was so in-
tense that authority communiques
should be issued daily giving all
the secrets which the tomb re-
vealed.

The present situation shows an
entirely different picture from the
one of yesterday.

Mr. Carter has shown tenacious-
ness to his task of this, however,

with the result that the newspapers
printed in the British domain have
had a monopoly in an event of trans-
cending historical importance. Few
newspapers in America have shown
with widespread interest as have
this one near Luxor which permits
the lifting of the curtain hanging
over an Egyptian dynasty and which
has given an opportunity to the
world definitely on certain passages of
the Old Testament and which will
amply the present vague history of
the one-time king. The documen-

found in the tomb, the funerary de-
scriptions on the wall and the won-
derful objects laid away with Tut-
Ankh-Amen for his use in the other
world offer a wealth of material for
educational research which will be of
inestimable value in determining the
role the young king played in the de-
stancies of an early civilization.

PACIFIC COAST

Will the Pacific Coast eventually
have a city larger than New York? Some
economists think so. They believe
our real "foreign trade future"
will be in Asia instead of Europe.

This view coincides with the sug-
gestion, occasionally put forth, that Eu-
rope—as a result of the World War—is
doomed to join the lost civilization
of Babylon, Egypt, etc. Easterners
in the United States have a tendency
to look on the Pacific Coast primarily
as a winter resort and moving picture
headquarters. They do not realize
the industrial future of the district
west of the Rocky Mountains, nor do they comprehend the tremen-
dous industrial position already attained
by the Pacific Coast. Back in 1860,
the Pacific Coast produced only 30
million dollars worth of manufactured
goods a year. Multiply this by 100
and you fall short of the yearly value
of Pacific Coast manufacturing now.

Time was when the growth of industry
on the Pacific Coast was dependent
on the east. That day is past. The "Coast" has the money to finance
itself. It has overcome, also, most
of its fuel and power and transportation
problems. Panama Canal helps
tremendously in the matter of ship-
ment to market. The National Bank
of Commerce (New York) points out
that the Pacific Coast is gaining popu-
lation faster than the country at large.

Also, that its chief industries are
in the order named, shipbuilding,
lumber, oil refining, fruit and vegeta-
ble canning, flour milling, meat and
dairy industry. It now seems possi-
ble that our nation's foreign trade
future will be mainly in the Orient.

The Pacific Coast naturally looks up
to the coming district. Horace Greeley
told young men to go west in Civil
War days. His advice is as logical
now as it was then.

THE NEXT WAR

Inventors continue busily in their
laboratories, making deadlier war
devices.

Many of the leading weapons of
the World War already are as old-
fashioned and obsolete as the blun-
derbuss according to revelations at a
military banquet in New York.

For instance, our government has
perfected a bomb weighing 4,000
pounds, to be carried by airplanes.
This is 10 times as big as the largest
bomb used in the World War. It con-
tains a ton of high explosives and
makes a crater in the ground 57 feet
deep and 150 feet across. Another
invention of which shone forth in the
brilliant electric lights which had
flooded the sepulchre. It must have
been an entralling moment. We
read that the imaginations of the beh-
olders ran riot as the lid was lifted.

Junius got a Valentine, but he's not
showing it to anybody. He's busy
looking for the bird that sent it.

Three Questions.

The three questions: "Where am I?"
"What am I?" "What can I know?"
have for centuries been before
the minds of thoughtful men
and they are still unanswered. Every
individual is in the universe for a
purpose. Every individual is what
he makes of himself. Every individual
can know a great deal if he
earnestly endeavors to become en-
lightened. We, believe, are the
most rational answers to the three
profound questions. Man is like a
mine he must dig into his nature and
bring forth the hidden treasures
are within him, he must remove
plenty or rubbish before he can bring
to light the precious gems, beauti-
fully set, that will enlighten the
world and make mankind nobler
through that imperishable light.

No Worth Five Cents.

A small boy strolled into an Ariz-
ona drug-store and said, "Gimme a
nickel's worth of asafoetida." The
proprietor wrapped it up and passed
it over.

"Charge it," said the boy.

"What name?" inquired the drug-
gist.

"Hunnyfunkie," was the answer.

"Take it for nothing," retorted the
bargain chemist. "I wouldn't write
'asafoetida' and 'Hunnyfunkie' both
for no nickel."

An optimist is a fellow who thinks
he can get his money out of a second-
hand car.

Fallacies.

(Advertiser Times.)
Correct these sentences:
"You go to the picnic, mother,
and the slapper, and I'll stay at
home and do the housework."

"I ain't go to the dance," said
the girl, "it's so much nicer to sit at
home and read aloud to one another."

"I really enjoy preserving," said
the wife, "and I don't mind the heat
in the least."

"It isn't that I dread the pain, but
I simply haven't time to go to the
dentist."

Think It Over.

This is not of record. Every-
thing that happens in the whole
world is apparently transmitted and
recorded in an alert press that brings
it to the reader at a trifling cost.
Even free in the local library, if
you can read, then read, deny-
ing the pleasure of having
what is going on in this great world,
and you may never have a chance to better
your condition. You must use your
resources, but believe me a man
can be employed with the power to
plan and execute. Plan well, and
you'll still better; that is the way
to reach the top in your calling.

He's got a bad cold—whether it's a good one?

Dull Day Come.

When you're mental motor's missin'
And you've got to churn the gray,
You're bound to come up somethin'.

**Play your first game of golf,
Or some Scraps, is equivalent to hav-
ing your salary garnished for the rest
of your life.**

Entitled to Respect.

BY STANLEY.—Sister, you
trust the government, we report.

CARAGEMAN. For his sake
I'll stand by him.

BYSTANDER. Early setting
sun.

CARAGEMAN. That's not so
but he's just as bad as ever.

ARTISTIC BOOGIEBACH.

PARIS TO BECOME A
PROSPEROUS

HONOLULU, Feb. 14.—Hawaii
timbers, unlike their fellow workers
in the mainland, apparently are
not to be used in the construction of
the new San Francisco-Oakland
Bay Bridge, according to W. L. Gandy,
executive director of the territorial farm
bureau.

The bridge is expected to be the
first of its kind in the world.

Mr. Gandy has strong reasons
to be optimistic about this, however,

with the result that the newspapers
printed in the British domain have
had a monopoly in an event of trans-
cending historical importance. Few
newspapers in America have shown
with widespread interest as have
this one near Luxor which permits
the lifting of the curtain hanging
over an Egyptian dynasty and which
has given an opportunity to the
world definitely on certain passages of
the Old Testament and which will
amply the present vague history of
the one-time king. The documen-

THE OLD HOME TOWN

BY STANLEY



AFTER THE ACCIDENT AT THE CENTRAL HOTEL THIS MORNING THE PROPRIETOR PROMISED TO PUT A STOP TO THE PRACTICE OF ROOMERS THROWING WATER OUT OF THE UPSTAIRS WINDOWS IN COLD WEATHER.

Scoop's Column

DRAKES BRANCH, February 14.—(Grapevine Wireless)—Government
is with us from the cradle to the grave. It keeps an eye on our beginnings and on our endings. "Wise paternalism," say the reverent "Pap and piffle," say the profane. Now comes a bill before the Congress with thought of the nation's infantry. It would provide for taking the finger prints and the toe prints of every baby born in the United States and its possessions.

A TRIBUTE TO DR. HOLT.

A few years ago a man of affairs said: "We raised our daughter on Holt's 'Care and Feeding of Children,' and now she is planning to bring up her family in accordance with the directions in the same book."

Class legislation and the babies not consulted! Nor the patriotic folk who keep a law or two ahead of race suicide. But the statistical bounds must not be denied. Knowing who's who among the country's potential man-power is of vital concern to parents, are yet them vital statistics may be of less importance than vital statistics.

Too early to worry, however, some farsighted politician will marshal a bold bloc under the flaming banner "I am for babies!" and block the proposed legislation.

Junius got a Valentine, but he's not showing it to anybody. He's busy looking for the bird that sent it.

Three Questions.

The three questions: "Where am I?" "What am I?" "What can I know?" have for centuries been before the minds of thoughtful men and they are still unanswered. Every individual is in the universe for a purpose. Every individual is what he makes of himself. Every individual can know a great deal if he earnestly endeavors to become enlightened.

We, believe, are the most rational answers to the three profound questions. Man is like a mine he must dig into his nature and bring forth the hidden treasures

are within him, he must remove plenty or rubbish before he can bring to light the precious gems, beautifully set, that will enlighten the world and make mankind nobler through that imperishable light.

HOW TO KEEP WELL

BY DR. W. A. EVANS.

Questions pertinent to hygiene sanitation and prevention of diseases, it matters of general interest, will be answered in this column. Where space will not permit, or the subject is not suitable, letters will be personally answered to proper limitations, and where a stamped, addressed envelope is enclosed, Dr. Evans will not make diagnosis or prescribe for individual diseases. Requests for such service cannot be answered. Address Dr. Evans, Care of The Bee.

HE FOUGHT IT OUT.

J. F. S. writes: Some eight years ago, when I was graduated from school, I broke down with tuberculosis, both glandular and pulmonary. After the gland was removed by operation, I was so weak I could not walk a block without resting and was constantly annoyed with pleurisy. Some friends persuaded me to enter the State sanitarium, where I spent a year.

Dr. Holt rendered his fellow man was in writing this little catechism of infant welfare. The greatest monument to Holt is—"The Holt Children."

HOLT RENDERED HIS FELLOW MAN WAS IN WRITING THIS LITTLE CATECHISM OF INFANT WELFARE. THE GREATEST MONUMENT TO HOLT IS—"THE HOLT CHILDREN."

The papers recently carried notice of Dr. Holt's death in Peking, China. Dr. Holt was in Peking for the purpose of giving a course of lectures in a medical college. The notices of Dr. Holt's life stressed his great service as a practitioner of medicine, specializing in diseases of children.

Dr. Holt had practiced medicine caring for sick children and particularly sick babies—for almost forty-four years. His service in that direction deserves all the praise it has received. Dr. Holt became a medical teacher in 1899. He had taught physicians and medical students from all parts of the world for nearly thirty-four years. In this indirect way he had done more for the betterment of babies than he had done as a practitioner. Every student he had was his lengthened shadow. In that way his knowledge and influence was carried into thousands of homes where personally never entered and personally was never known.

He wrote several books and many magazine articles. In 1894 he wrote a simple catechism for mothers, which he called "The Care and Feeding of Children." This catechism was at first a small affair and sold for a few cents.

In the thirty years since Holt wrote the first edition of "The Care and Feeding of Children" the little book has had many adventures. It has gone through twelve editions. It is now in its seventh printing. It has been translated into many languages and is used as a guide by mothers in every country in the world.

When the records of sales of books for a year

Dan Dobb's Daily

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PRINCE OF WALES FALLS

MURDER

Every Now and Then We Have a Few Killings.

The latest murder in the theatrical world was held in New York. Well, it was New York's time. Hollywood had the last one.

This makes it about a tie between the two places, New York and Hollywood. But it shows that New York is struggling for her old-time leadership in the field of art.

There is talk of moving the movie studios to New York. If New York can furnish enough scandals, murders and such.

SOCIETY

The Teapot Dome scandal seems to be all over except the shouting. That is, the scandal is all settled officially. Investigators have been duly appointed and are going to work. These men will make a probe. When you hear of investigators probing something it means nothing.

SPRING NEWS

Only a few weeks now until many of us will be too sick to work, but well enough to go fishing.

BOOZE NEWS

B booze is very dangerous. A still blew up in Chicago and almost killed a couple of men.

DAN DOBB SAYS

If this Prince of Wales gets through Leap Year single he is the greatest diplomat on earth.

SPORTS

The ball teams are getting ready. Interviewing the various managers we find every team will win the pennant this year. All any team will have to do is beat all the other teams, and this seems simple. Every team has a rookie capable of winning the pennant by himself. If you don't believe us go ask the rookie.

RADIO BROADCASTING NEWS

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 14

WEAF, NEW YORK—492.

4:00-5:30 P. M.—Vernice Gay, piano; Mary Gale, violinist; Rose Ferris, soprano; Billy Cripps, tenor. 7:00-12:00 P. M.—Midweek services of the New York Federation of Churches; sport talk by Thornton Fisher; Lillieville Barton, soprano; Sherman Small, baritone; Thrane Trio, direct from Hunter College; Old-Fashioned Southern Minstrels; Father and Son Week; Vincent Lopez Orchestra.

WJY, NEW YORK—405.

7:30 P. M.—Program by the New York School of Music. 8:30 P. M.—"Golf," by Innis Brown. 8:45 P. M.—Emerson program. 10:00 P. M.—"Home Building," by William Beers.

WJZ, NEW YORK—435.

4:00 P. M.—N. Birmingham Folkies, poems. 5:30 P. M.—Market reports; closing quotations of the New York Stock Exchange; foreign exchange quotations; news. 7:00 P. M.—"Jack Rabbit Stories," by David Cory. 7:30 P. M.—Captain R. D. Jones, baritone. 7:45 P. M.—Talk. 8:00 P. M.—Captain R. D. Jones, baritone. 8:15 P. M.—Organ recital. 9:05 P. M.—Royal Male Quartet. 0:40 P. M.—"Biography of President Harding," by Joe M. Chaplin. 1:45 P. M.—Time signals; weather forecast. 10:00 P. M.—Creighton Allen, piano. 10:30 P. M.—Hotel Commodore Orchestra.

WHN, NEW YORK—360.

3:45-4:00 P. M.—Songs and piano solos. 4:00-5:00 P. M.—Pekin Orchestra. 5:00-5:30 P. M.—Popular songs. 5:30-12:00 P. M.—Popular songs; dance music.

WOR, NEWARK—405.

3:35 P. M.—Estelle Fuerstenberg, violin. 3:45 P. M.—Talk by Helen Lowell. 6:15 P. M.—St. Valentine's Day readings for children, by Constance Irwin. 6:30-7:30 P. M.—Country Club Orchestra.

WAAM, NEWARK—273.

8:00-10:30 P. M.—"Piano songs"; Dance Orchestra; readings. 8:55 P. M.—Musical program. 9:00 P. M.—Police reports.

WFL, PHILADELPHIA—301.

6:00 P. M.—Bedtime story. 6:30 P. M.—Major Davis Orchestra.

WDAR, PHILADELPHIA—395.

4:30 P. M.—Musical program. 7:30 P. M.—"Dream Daddy."

WIP, PHILADELPHIA—388.

6:00 P. M.—Weather forecast; dance music. 7:00 P. M.—Uncle Wip's bedtime stories; roll-call.

WOO, PHILADELPHIA—500.

4:45 P. M.—Organ, trumpet. 5:00 P. M.—Sports; police reports. 5:35 P. M.—Time signals. 10:02 P. M.—Weather forecast.

WEAN, PROVIDENCE—278.

4:00 P. M.—Weather forecast; dance orchestra. 5:00-10:00 P. M.—Same program as WNAC.

WSAD, PROVIDENCE—261.

4:00-7:00 P. M.—Bedtime story; music. 8:15 P. M.—Brown University String Orchestra; instrumental solos and songs.

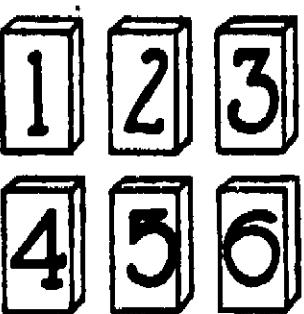
WEK, SPRINGFIELD, MASS.—337.

7:00 P. M.—"Preparation of Federal Income Tax Returns," by Thomas McCarty.

7:30 P. M.—Bedtime story; agricultural letter.

8:00 P. M.—Springfield Conservatory.

DAILY PUZZLE



Horses Can't Read News-papers.

The Prince of Wales has two bad habits. One is falling off of horses and the other is staying single. Both are very dangerous.

He fell off a horse the other day and broke his collarbone. There is some talk of changing his title to the Prince of Wails.

This young fellow is out of luck. He has to keep on riding, because some day he may need a horse to escape from the women.

The wire doesn't say if any women were after him when he fell and broke his collarbone. If they were, he managed to escape, because he is still single.

EDITORIAL

Spring is coming, according to the almanac. With spring will come spring fever. Of course it won't exactly be spring fever. It will be the regular laziness which we have all year. Spring gives us a chance to call this laziness by a more polite name.

DATE

We suggest that February is short on days because March is so windy it blows in ahead of time.

CHURCH NEWS

Tennessee hunter claims he strangled a wildcat. Even if he had, nobody would have believed him.

MARKETS

It is estimated that most ten-cent cigars are nickel cigars.

MEDICAL NOTES

The funniest thing is a dentist having his landlord for a patient.

The kindergarten teacher handed the pupils six oblong blocks with figures from 1 to 6, and told them to make numbers by setting the blocks in a row. She left the room, and, of course, the children tossed the blocks around a while. Then they set them in a row, and when the teacher returned she found that the clever kids had made a number that was greater by thousands than what she thought was the highest number possible. Can you show how the blocks were set?

Yesterday's answer:

ALWAYS COLLECT RENT ON THE FIRST!

The concealed city is Trenton.

COLLECT RENT ON THE FIRST!

WCK, DETROIT—517.

6:00 P. M.—Orchestra concert.

8:30 P. M.—Musical program.

WHAS, LOUISVILLE—400.

3:30-10:00 P. M.—Concert by the Louisville Conservatory of Music; radio forum talk; digest of Sunday school lesson; official Standard Time announced at 10 o'clock.

KYW, CHICAGO—536.

5:50 P. M.—Children's bedtime story.

6:00-8:30 P. M.—Doerr's Orchestra; DeBarry Orchestra.

9:00-9:20 P. M.—The Rev. J. C. Pernin, reader.

9:20-10:00 P. M.—Frances Scalford, contralto; John Minnema, baritone; Samover Orchestra.

10:05 P. M.—Chicago Motor Club report.

10:15 P. M.—Live stock report; news every half hour, day and night.

WDAP, CHICAGO—360.

10:00 P. M.—Dance orchestra.

WMAQ, CHICAGO—348.

8:30 P. M.—Boy Scout talk; golf lesson and financial talk.

9:30 P. M.—Orchestra.

10:00 P. M.—Recreational talk.

10:15 P. M.—Aeolian Maté Quartet.

WJAZ, CHICAGO—448.

9:00 P. M.—Vocal and instrumental solos; Oricle Orchestra.

WRM, URBANA, ILL.—360.

9:30-10:30 P. M.—School of Music concert news.

WOC, DAVENPORT, IOWA—184.

6:45 P. M.—Chimes concert.

7:30 P. M.—Sandman's visit.

7:50 P. M.—Weather forecast; sport news.

9:00-10:00 P. M.—Dance orchestra; V. E. Roche, baritone.

KSD, ST. LOUIS—546.

9:00 P. M.—Shurtleff College Glee Club.

WLAG, MINNEAPOLIS—417.

8:30 P. M.—Lecture.

10:15 P. M.—Weather report.

WMC, MEMPHIS—509.

9:30 P. M.—Chicago Philharmonic Orchestra.

WSB, ATLANTA—429.

9:00-10:00 P. M.—Concert.

11:45 P. M.—Organ recital.

WDAF, KANSAS CITY—411.

7:30 P. M.—Weather forecast.

7:00-8:00 P. M.—Educational and musical.

11:45-2:00 A. M.—"Nighthawk Frolic"; Coonander's Orchestra; pipe organ recital.

WOAW, OMAHA—526.

7:00 P. M.—Story hour.

7:30 P. M.—Rogland Dance Orchestra.

10:00 P. M.—Program of old-fashioned music.

WFAD, DALLAS—469.

7:45 P. M.—Program to be announced.

10:00-12:00 P. M.—Le Paradise Band.

XAA, ARLINGTON, VA.—455.

3:45-4:00 P. M.—Weather reports.

10:10-10:20 P. M.—Weather reports.

WBP, FORT WORTH—476.

8:30-9:30 P. M.—Concert by Fort Worth High School Cadet Band.

10:30-11:45 P. M.—North Side Mandolin Club Orchestra.

SKW, TUNICU, CUBA—332.

10:00 P. M.—Musical program.

KGO, OAKLAND, CAL.—312.

11:00 P. M.—Concert program.

KHJ, LOS ANGELES—395.

11:00-2:00 P. M.—Hickman's Orchestra.

KFI, LOS ANGELES—469.

11:00-12:00 P. M.—Ambassador Hotel concert.

12:00 P. M.-1:00 A. M.—Concert program.

1:00-2:00 A. M.—Concert.

Average price twenty industrials \$1.91 up .93 twenty rails \$2.21. up .47.

CUTICURA HEALS RED PIMPLES

On Scalp, Neck and Face, Itching Was Terrible.

"My scalp, neck and face broke out in big red pimples, and they were so sore I could hardly stand to comb my hair or wash my face and neck. The itching was so terrible that I could not sleep nights. My face and neck were a horrible sight to see. My hair became very dry, and broke off."

"I thought of Cuticura Soap and Ointment and purchased some, and after using two boxes of Cuticura Ointment and four cans of Cuticura Soap I was healed." (Signed) Mrs. J. A. Achten, 411 E. 7th St., Austin, Texas.

W.W.J., CINCINNATI—360.

11:00 P. M.—Radio beauty contest.

Cincinnati Conservatory of Music concert; string quartet and solos.

SPORTS GOSSIP

Despite the fact that Lew Tendler announced some time ago that he would devote the rest of his fighting to meeting middleweights, the Philadelphia southpaw weighed only 185 1/2 pounds for his recent bout with Ray Mitchell.

Now that Pal Moran has faded from the picture as a challenger of Benny Leonard, young Jack Zivic of Pittsburg hopes to join as a dangerous challenger. Young Zivic has been going great guns of late.

Washington and St. Louis in American League and St. Louis in the National, have never captured a pennant. Each has finished in the first division several times but thus far none has been able to hurdle the final barrier. In 1922 the Browns came within one game of making the grade, losing out to the Yankees.

It appears from dispatches carried in Richmond papers that the red-blooded shooting element of Danville is so anxious to see the Dempsey exhibition that they are going to make the trip over to the capitol and get an eyeful of the champion. Richmond papers carried the announcement yesterday that a message had been received there requesting that a block of fifty seats be reserved for Danville people who were anticipating attendance at the exhibition.

New Ned Shore over at Winston-Salem had begun the drafting of a schedule of his own to present to the Piedmont moguls as the official one. It will be remembered that the Twins were not overcome with joy when they got an eyeful of the one that Herb Murphy drafted and presented. If Ned can make it any softer for the Twins than Herb did in his attempt he will be going some and it is hoped that friend Shore's effort will specify a little less mileage for Danville as the Tabacconists headed the list in that department in the line-up as presented by Murphy.

Bill Pierre has carried a few more prospects. Boxines for the coming season. His mileage expenses in bringing all the would-be bulls to Durham will be in excess of a month's salary for the whole club if the Silent One doesn't apply the brakes pretty suddenly.

Charlie Carroll is amassing quite a flock of receivers for the 1924 Patriots. He has three on the list at present and the latest backstopper sent to come into the Greensboro limelight, basically speaking, is Roth, who is touted as being about the best thing in the way of a receiver running around loose at the present time. Roth was with Petersburg in the Virginia league in 1920 and was placed on the ineligible list because, it is alleged, he refused to catch with a split finger and quit when they stopped his pay. He is again on the eligible side of the ledger and Greensboro is lining him up. The other two musketeers are Dayton and Scherling, the latter last year in the Virginia loop and previous to that he was a second stringer with Spartanburg in the South Atlantic. Scherling is said to be somewhat of a weak sister with a bat but seems to be all there when it comes to handling pitched balls. Dayton is well known to all Piedmont fandom.

Bout February 25 Won't Be Held

(Associated Press, Leased Wire) NEW YORK, Feb. 14.—Because the public "was not" notified a few hours before the bout last Friday between Pancho Villa and Georgia Marks, that it would not be a championship affair, because Marks was four pounds overweight, the manager of the Madison Square Garden, where the bout was held, will be obliged to conduct a boxing program arranged for February 25.

The state athletic commission alleged, though Tex Eckard, manager of the Garden later denied it, that the promoter had failed to keep sufficiently in touch with the fighters to know whether the fight would involve a title, as it was billed to do, and that he had not actually received the required \$2,500 weight forfeit.

DANVILLE VS. MARTINSVILLE

The local high school basketball team meets the fine representing the Martinsville school on Municipal Hall floor tonight. The locals are preparing for a battle and expect to take the Martinsville aggregation into camp. An interesting game is looked forward to.

Hair Stays Combed, Glossy

Millions Use It—Few Cents Buys Jar at Drugstore

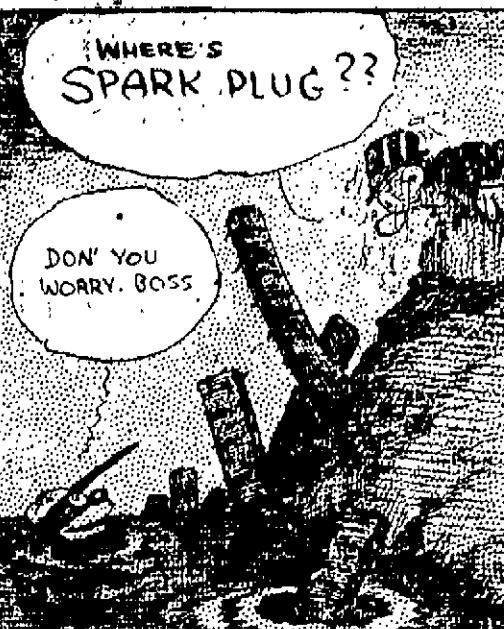
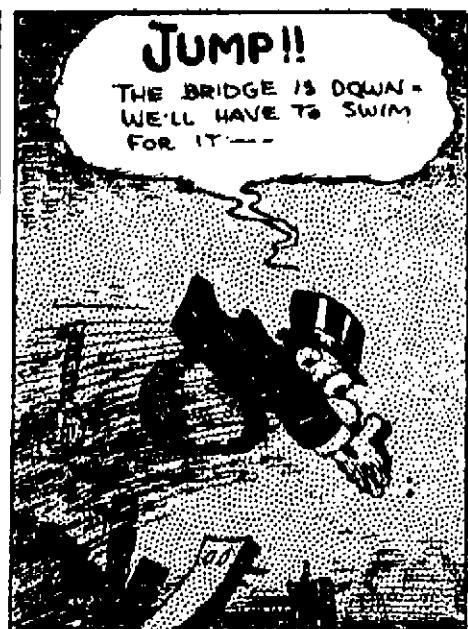


BARNEY GOOGLE and SPARK PLUG

Sparky's Some Swimmer, Too.

4TH DAY OF THE CROSS COUNTRY RACE TO SAN FRANCISCO
SPARK PLUG LEADS SASSY SUSIE BY 3/2 MILES.
WEATHER PERMITTING THE HORSES SHOULD REACH THE OUTSKIRTS OF "MERCED" LATE TONIGHT.
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SAN FRANCISCO NEWS ITEM:
BILL HINES, WELL KNOWN CLUB MAN, BETS DUBLIN CORNELL, A FULL BREEZE DAY, SPARK PLUG GETS THE HEAVY JEEBES BEFORE THE RACE TERMINATES AND LOSES TO SASSY SUSIE.



WILL BLUEGE K. O. KID JINX?



BLUEGE.

Will third base continue to be a weak spot in the lineup of the Washington Nationals? This position has been a jinx to every Washington manager, since Eddie Foster departed. A dozen players have been tried out since but none have made the grade.

Last spring it was hoped that Bill Conroy, who had played such good ball for Minneapolis in the American Association, would come through. Illinois, which for a year or more has drawn heavily from North Pacific cities for laborers, is slowing down in the building program and workmen who went South some weeks ago have been kept on the waiting list.

WILL OPPOSE DEMANDS

SEATTLE, Feb. 13.—In preparing to oppose demands for increased wages by lathers, plasters, marble setters, brick layers and terrace workers, contractors here assessed that Los Angeles, which for a year or more has drawn heavily from North Pacific cities for laborers, is slowing down in the building program and workmen who went South some weeks ago have been kept on the waiting list.

RAZING STRUCTURES

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 13.—The make room for the approach of the new Delaware river bridge 724 dwellings have been destroyed and many more structures will be razed.

MADISON SQUARE GARDEN SUSPENDED FOR USE FOR WEEK

(By the Associated Press)

NEW YORK, Feb. 13.—Madison Square Garden, largest metropolitan indoor arena, was suspended today from staging boxing bouts for one week by the State Athletic Commission as a result of the match last Friday night between Pancho Villa, world's flyweight champion, and Georgia Marks, of California, which was robbed of its title aspect when Marks entered the ring four and a half pounds overweight.

At the same time the commission suspended for sixty days Marie Marks' manager, Charlie Cook, and Frank Churchill, manager of Villa. Marks and Cook were set down for failure of the boxer to make the flyweight limit of 112 pounds, while Churchill was banned for refusing to claim the weight forfeit of \$1,250, required of Marks.

No action was taken against Villa, but the midget Filipino actually will be kept inactive so far as boxing in this State is concerned, while his manager is under suspension. No blame was attached to Villa, the commissioner explained, it being pointed out that he was simply a victim.

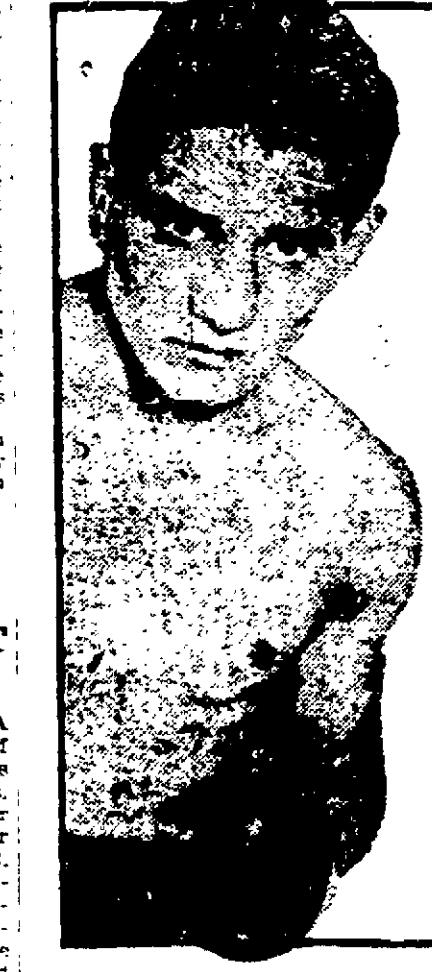
Suspension of the Garden, which came as a sensation in boxing circles, was ruled for several reasons. These included a report to the commission that Marks had posted the required \$2,500 weight and appearance forfeit when he had not done so; alleged failure to take proper measures to notify the public that the fight was not an affair; when Marks was found to be overweight; and for not keeping informed as to Marks' true weight during his training activities.

Rickard, when informed tonight of the ruling, denied that he or his associates were to blame for the fiasco.

SCHOOLFIELD "Y." REPRESENTATIVES TO GREENVILLE

Danville will be represented at the annual athletic tournament of the Southern Textile which will meet at Greenville, S. C. The Schoolfield "Y." sent a representative body there last night and the tournaments begin today and Saturday. Many of the more common forms of athletic events will be held and textile centers all over the country will be represented by teams and participants.

MAKES A MARK FOR CHAMPION



GEORGE MARKS

The dear old New York "boobie" was given the works again the other night.

George Marks, a Brooklyn boy with somewhat of a reputation as a four-round performer in California flyweight champion of the world.

Marks wasn't even overweight. He probably was very heavy—overweight and a very bad one, too. Villa punched him dizzy throughout the 13 rounds of the fight—so dazed that helped the ailing sport in New York in about the same manner that lethal gas strengthens a condemned man's vitality.

BASKETBALL

A Louisville University of Virginia 41; University of Louisville 26.

FOR THE SAKE

BY LAWRENCE PERRY

(Copyright, 1924, by The Bee) NEW YORK, Feb. 14.—No one familiar with the olympic situation is inclined to the opinion that our competitive showing in the winter olympics at Chamonix raises an unsurmountable obstacle to the final success of this country in the great international athletic test. Yet at the same time, there seems to be the feeling that if our olympic contestants functioned actually throughout every year instead of every four years the U. S. would be in a better position, not only in winter sports, but all along the line.

Such prestige as the United States shall be able to maintain this year will in the last analysis, many think, be due not to the olympic authorities, but to our college coaches through the land. If the athletic club coaches are added there will be not a few who will be inclined to agree with a theory of the sort.

Four years ago at Antwerp, America was woefully deficient in long distance runners. This year at Paris the same certain to be, and the way things go there is not the slightest assurance that it will not be lacking four years hence. To bring forth distance runners: no centralized effort in any respect save in the months preceding the olympic games.

In the Scandinavian countries there appears to have been a national movement to develop athletics since the last olympic games and the self-sacrifice shown in the olympic games, it was said, will be the withdrawal of the Hopkins Medley team from the Wilson Athletic club games in New York Saturday.

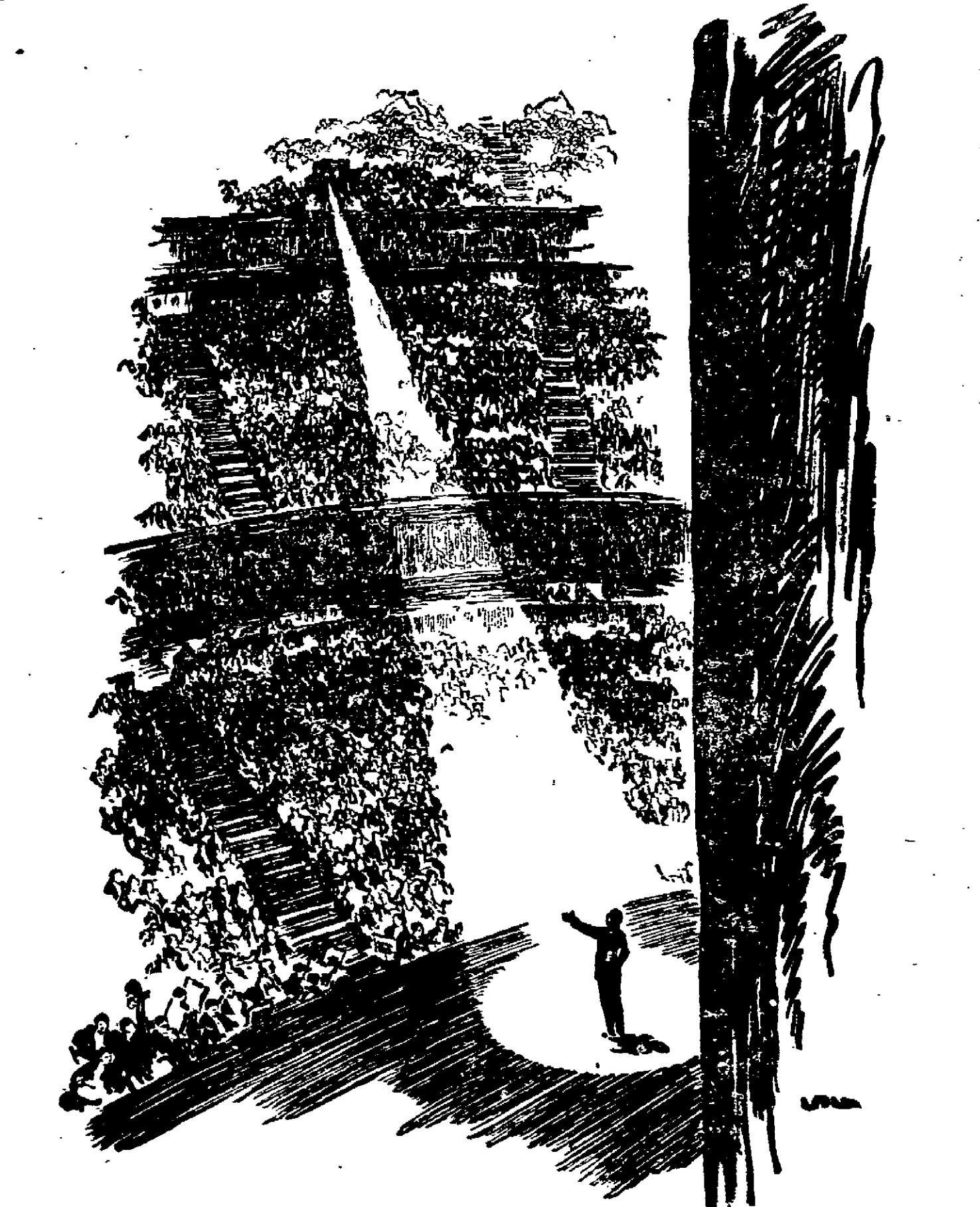
BIG UPHEAVAL IN HOPKINS SPORTS; 9 MEN SUSPENDED

(By the Associated Press.)

BALTIMORE, Feb. 13.—Athletes at Johns Hopkins University have been thrown into an upheaval by the suspension of nine of the best and most promising men because of low scholastic status, it was learned today.

The "blacklist" includes Burton Proctor, South Atlantic middle athlete; Robert Gwynn, South Atlantic cross-country champion; Roy Borcas, member of the Medley relay team, and Wardwell, a promising candidate for the 440-yard dash in coming meets.

The first result of the suspensions, it was said, will be the withdrawal of the Hopkins Medley team from the Wilson Athletic club games in New York Saturday.



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A big lot of Silk Remnants,
88c Days,
Per Yard

88¢

Friday—Saturday and Monday

We always open the Spring season with our big money sav-
ing 88c SALE, known to all the people of Danville and the
surrounding country as the biggest sale event of the year.
We are offering the greatest value ever offered in Danville.
You can't afford to miss this sale. Come early.

88c Sale Ladies' Ready-to-Wear

**WE WILL GIVE THE FOLLOWING DISCOUNT ON ALL DRESSES,
COATS AND SUITS IN OUR 88c SALE—FRIDAY,
SATURDAY AND MONDAY.**

All Coats, Suits and Dresses, over \$ 5.00	88c Off
All Coats, Suits and Dresses, over \$10.00	\$1.88 Off
All Coats, Suits and Dresses, over \$20.00	\$2.88 Off

LADIES, REMEMBER, THIS IS OFF OUR ALREADY CUT PRICES

"Look, Men," 88c Sale

**WE WILL GIVE THE FOLLOWING REDUCTIONS ON ALL MEN'S
SUITS DURING THIS SPECIAL 88c SALE.**

\$29.50 Spring Suits	\$2.88 Off
\$22.50 Spring Suits	\$2.88 Off
\$19.50 Spring Suits	\$1.88 Off
\$17.50 Spring Suits	\$1.88 Off
\$14.50 Spring Suits	\$1.88 Off
\$ 9.95 Spring Suits	\$1.88 Off

MEN'S SOX

25¢ Sox
Four Pair for

88¢**MEN'S 20¢ SOX**

Men's 20¢ Sox
Six Pair for

88¢**MEN'S SHIRTS**

Men's Dress Shirts
88c Days Sale

88¢**MEN'S SOX**

45¢ Sox
Three Pair for

88¢**MEN'S CAPS**

1 Big Lot of Caps
\$1.48 Value

88¢**"MEN" Buy Your Pants**

at Efird's at our
88c Days' Sale

\$1.88 \$2.88 \$3.88**MEN'S TIES**

Men's Dress Ties
\$1.48 Value

88¢**MEN'S HATS**

Men's Hats
Good Styles. This Sale

88¢**MEN'S OVERALLS**

Men's Headlight Overalls
Buy Now. \$2.48 Value

\$1.88**MENS WORK SHIRTS**

Men's Best Work Shirts
\$1.48 Value

88¢**MEN'S DRESS HATS**

\$4.00 Men's Dress Hats
All Shades and Latest Styles

\$2.88**SUIT CASES**

Suit Case
88c Days Sale

88¢

88¢ EFIRD'S DEPT. STORE 88¢

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The South's Fastest Selling System

4-PLY BALL YARN

4 balls 4-ply yarn, the kind you pay 50c for. Basement—Four balls for	88¢
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LADIES' DRESSES

One big lot of Ladies' Dresses— While they last. Basement	88¢
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LADIES' HOSE	SPOOL COTTON
Ladies' 15c Hose. Our price for the 88c Days 10 pr. for	All numbers in white and black. Come—come basement—6 for .. 25c

MIDDY SUITS

\$8.00 Middy Suits for this Sale. While they last Basement	88¢
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25¢ COTTON BATS

Our 88c Days Sale Price While they last—Basement 6 Bats For	88¢
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Men's Overall Pants	Men's Work Shirts
While they last. During our 88c Days Sale— Basement	Good quality. During 88c days sale—Basement— 2 for .. 88c

LADIES' SHOES

One Big Lot Ladies Shoes— Basement—Buy them in our 88c Days sale	88¢
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MEN'S SHOES

One Table Men's Shoes. Buy them For	\$1.88
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RAG RUGS

\$1.48 Value. During 88c Days sale— Basement	88¢
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While they last. During 88c Days' sale— Basement	88¢
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BOYS' ALLS

88c Days' sale— Basement	88¢
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LADIES' OXFORDS

One Table Ladies' Ox- fords—in Basement — For	\$1.88
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BIG ALUMINUM SALE

Two 98c pc. of any aluminum in the Basement at our 88c Days' sale price—Basement—2 for ..	88¢
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88c Days' sale— Basement	88¢
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BOYS' PANTS

\$1.48 value. During our 88c Days' sale— Basement	88¢
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BABY BLANKETS

\$1.48 Value. During our 88c Days' sale— Basement	88¢
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LADIES' OXFORDS

One big table of ladies' Oxfords. Buy them at our 88c Days price	\$2.88
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LAST MINUTE PHOTOS IN THE NEWS

WHO'S WHO
WHAT'S WHAT

First Photos of the Passing of Red Russia's Greatest Leader



Soviet leaders in Lenin funeral procession.



(By Pacific & Atlantic)
On the shoulders of Soviet soldiers the casket containing the body of Nikolai Lenin, dictator of Red Russia, was carried at funeral in Moscow. At the head of casket are Dzerzhinsky (left) and Kamenev, political leaders.

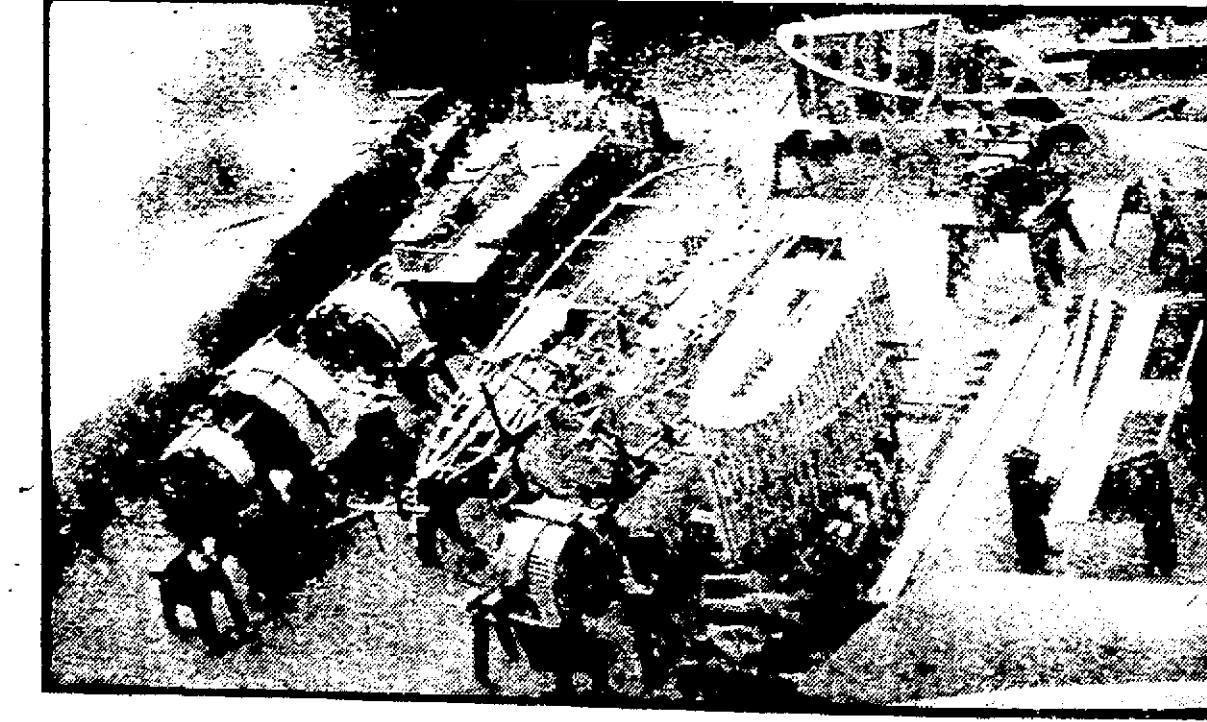
These are the first and exclusive pictures of the funeral of Lenin, Russia's greatest leader, which was attended by over a million people in Moscow.

Waiting Return of Bergdoll Kidnaper



(By Pacific & Atlantic)
Above photo shows parents and sister waiting for the return of Lieut. C. Hooven Griffis, who served in a German prison for attempting to kidnap Grover C. Bergdoll, draft dodger. Griffis will arrive in New York.

Navy Getting Prepared for Polar Hop



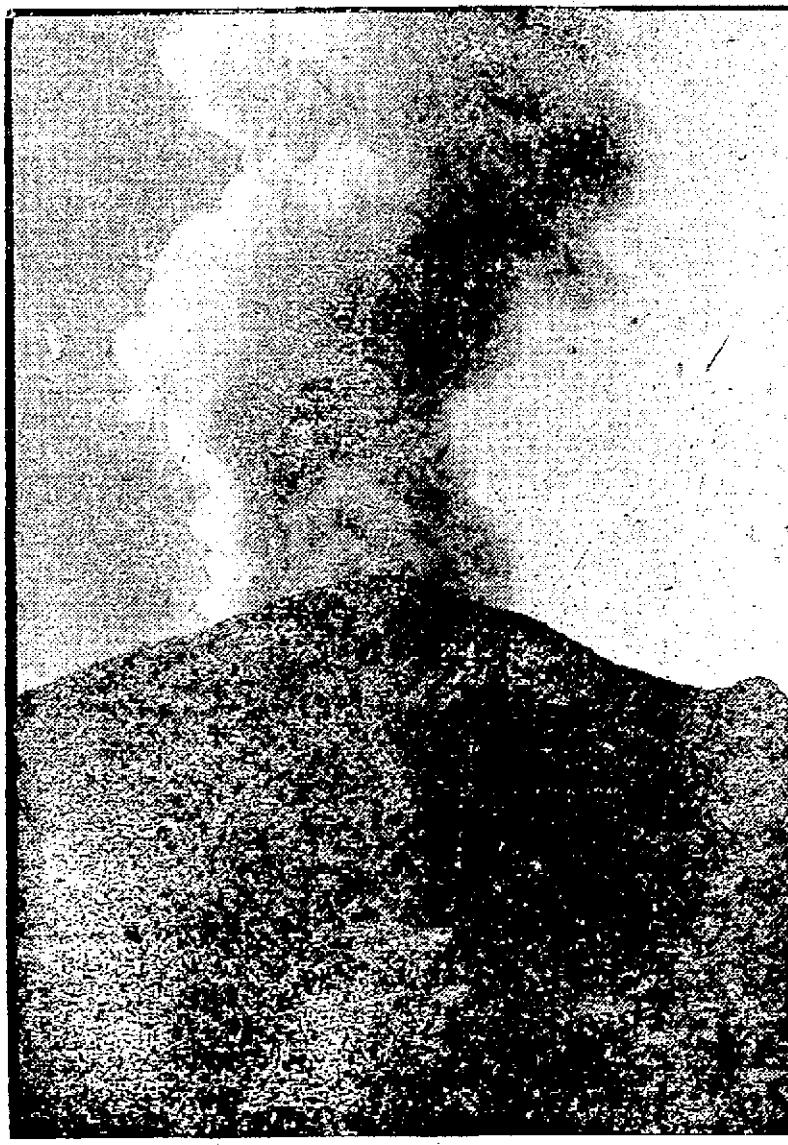
(By Pacific & Atlantic)
With the time for the North Pole flight nearing navy officials have pushed the work on equipment to be used on the trip. This photo shows the steam room used for steaming wooden parts of airplanes for bending into different shapes.

Six Die in Long Island Hotel Fire



(By Pacific & Atlantic)
Six persons perished in a fire, believed to be of incendiary origin, in a frame hotel in Rockville Center, L. I. Sixteen others were rescued, though many were badly injured. Photo shows firemen searching the ruins of buildings for bodies of the victims.

Vesuvius in Action



(By Pacific & Atlantic)
In the side of the famous Italian volcano Vesuvius a new crater has launched into action, belching smoke and molten lava, as this remarkable photo shows.

Murder of Louise Lawson Still Mystery



(By Pacific & Atlantic)
Towel and leash used to choke and truss Louise Lawson, Broadway butterfly, being examined by Assistant District Attorneys Marrow (left) and Jones of New York. The hunt for murderers is being continued for the two so-called expressmen who called at the Lawson apartment just before the murder.

Venetian Atmosphere for Florida



(By Pacific & Atlantic)
The above photo shows children cruising about Biscayne Bay, Fla., in one of the gondolas, as part of the setting for elaborate mid-winter children's party at Miami Beach recently.

Prince in Movies



The ex-Crown Prince of Germany is reported to be planning to organize and also participate in a new moving picture company in Germany.

Kind of Peppy



By way of keeping in trim for recent Olympic winter sports held at Chamonix, France, Jewtraw and Steinmetz, American skaters, sparred a bit. Manager Taylor did the refereeing.

Keeping Fit for Olympic Games



Photo shows Miss Bestrix Loughran, New York exhibition skater and member of the American Olympic skating team, is seen here sawing wood to limber up for the skating races at Chamonix, France.

Looks as if All Dublin Turned Out



The above photo shows how crowds turned out at Dublin, Ireland, recently to see the French rugby players go down to defeat before the Irish team by a score of 6 to 0.

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IRISH POPULATION SHOWS GAIN

DUBLIN, Feb. 14.—An official return puts the estimated population of the Free State at the middle of 1928 at 3,165,000. These figures are approximate, but they show an increase in the population in ten years of more than 80,000.

HOW DOCTORS TREAT COLDS AND THE FLU

First Step in Treatment Is Calotabs, the Purified and Refined Calomel Tablets That Are Nauseous, Safe and Sure.

Doctors have found by experience that no medicine for colds, coughs, sore throat and influenza can be depended upon for full effectiveness until the liver is made as thoroughly active. That is why the first step in the treatment is the nauseous calomel tablet called Calotabs, which are free from the sickening and weakening effects of the old style calomel. Doctors also point out the fact that an active liver may go a long way towards preventing influenza and colds and is one of the most important factors in enabling the patient to successfully withstand an attack and ward off pneumonia.

One or two Calotabs at bed time, with a swallow of water—that's all. No salts, no nausea for the slightest interference with your eating, pleasure or work. Next morning your cold has vanished, your liver is active again, your system is purified, and you are feeling fine, with a hearty appetite for breakfast. Genuine Calotabs are sold only in original sealed packages, price package, ten cents for the small, vest-pocket size—adv.

thirty-five cents for the large, family-size.



BOLD BANDITS OF NEW YORK ARE "YELLOW"

Shoot to Kill When They Have Drop On Other Fellow But Cry For Mercy When Advantage Is On Other Side.

BY ROBERT T. SMALL
(Copyright, 1924, by The Bee.)

NEW YORK, Feb. 14.—New York's boldest bandits are "yellow to the core" according to the police. They shoot and shoot to kill when they have the drop on the other fellow, but they cry aloud for mercy when the advantage is on the other side. They plot the death of innocent persons in the most cold-blooded way but let their lives be in danger and they whimper and whine and cry "unfair" at the top of their lungs.

This new condemnation and scorn by the "terrors" of the "sidewalks of New York" has been called forth by the conduct of Morris B. Diamond ever since his conviction of first-degree murder. Diamond has been moaning at his fate to such an extent in the Raymond Street jail over in Brooklyn that the other prisoners, thieves, firebugs and what-nots, have made a formal complaint to the warden that they cannot sleep at night because they will have to ask for their release or transfer if something is not done to quiet the "cowardly crying" of the ex-football player who is facing the electric chair.

Diamond is one of four men charged with the murder of two Brooklyn bank messengers some three months ago. The messengers never had a chance. They stepped from an elevated train carrying a safe containing \$46,000 in currency. The robbers opened fire on them without word of warning or a command of surrender. Snatching the money from the hands of the dead men the robbers made off in the motor car which is always standing nearby with engine running.

The cold-bloodedness as well as the boldness of this daylight murder and robbery shocked New York to a greater extent than any crime committed here in a decade. The entire police and detective force was put on the case.

The amended complaint, which Deely produced yesterday from the witness stand, it noted by the prosecution, as the one Roth declared he intended to file when he approached Sawyer with offers to suppress it for a consideration.

During the cross examination Miss Lamar again burst into tears while being questioned about her contract with Sawyer and was excused.

Sawyer, the next witness, said he would produce the contract.

Sawyer told of several visits of Roth to his office and of an offer to compromise for \$55,000 for the price of suppressing the amended bill.

Later, he insisted Roth produced an affidavit from Jacqueline Dyrus, another actress, who quoted Miss Lamar as describing Sawyer as "a perfect lover."

The trial will be continued today.

FINANCE CORPORATION

(By the Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, Feb. 13.—By unanimous vote, the House today passed a Senate bill to extend until December 31 the power of the War Finance Corporation to make loans. The measure now goes to the President, who recommended the legislation.

Under terms of the bill applications for loans must be made prior to November 30, but they may be acted upon after that time until December 31. An amendment submitted by Representative Williamson Reupin, South Dakota, to extend the life of the corporation until March 31, 1925, was defeated 53 to 61.

CREW OF BURNED STEAMSHIP RESCUED

GIBRALTAR, Feb. 13.—The crew of the five-masted auxiliary schooner Republique, which was burned at sea, has been rescued by the Spanish steamship Iberia. She reports the Republique a total loss.

FROM HER VALENTINE



Rheumatic Pains Go Swollen Joints Vanish

Thousands of sufferers have freed themselves from the bondage of rheumatism; rid themselves of the torturing pain; reduced the swollen joints; thrown away canes and crutches, and from helpless beings become able to work and to be of use to themselves and their families.

The tool: Rheuma, the modern enemy of rheumatism, lumbago, sciatica, arthritis, gout and chronic neuralgia. Don't be skeptical about Rheuma. You will know in a few hours after beginning the treatment that the poisonous uric acid is leaving your system through the natural channels. You will feel better in a day; you will know you are going to be helped in less than a week.

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PIMPLY? WELL, DON'T BE

People Notice It. Drive Them Off with Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets

A pimply face will not embarrass you much longer if you get a package of Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets. The skin should begin to clear after you have taken the tablets a few nights.

Cleanse the blood, bowel and liver with Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets. The successful substitute for calomel: there's no sickness or pain after taking them.

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets do that which calomel does, and just as effectively, but their action is gentle and safe instead of severe and irritating.

No one who takes Olive Tablets is ever cursed with a "dark brown taste," a bad breath, a dull, listless, "no-good" feeling, constipation, torpid liver, bad digestion or pimpy face.

Olive Tablets are a purely vegetable compound mixed with olive oil; you will know them by their olive color.

Dr. Edwards spent years among patients afflicted with liver and bowel complaints and Olive Tablets are the **most effective result.** Take one or two nights for a week. See how much better you feel and look. 15¢ and 30¢.

Posed especially for The Bee by Mary Pickford

The postman is a very welcome individual to little girls on Valentine Day, and Mary, in characteristic school-girl costume, typifies the eagerness with which a nation's sweethearts await a message from "him."

Twilight Romance Proves Candler's Downfall



TO THE LEFT ASA CANDLER, AGED GALAHAD AND (BELOW) MRS. INEZMA DE BOUCHEL. TO THE RIGHT MRS. CANDLER AND W. J. STODDARD, WITH WHOM SHE WAS ARRESTED.

BY CARL TAYLOR
ATLANTA, Ga., Feb. 14.—The spirit of the chevalier flourishes in the old heart of Asa Candler. Those near to him will tell you that is why tragedied broods over the closing of his life.

Seventy-three years have passed since Candler bi. He has accumulated millions upon millions in the manufacture of Coca-Cola.

No man gains millions without contact with the stern realities of life. Few such men escape the world's cynicism, its hard-boiledness. Yet few glooms glow in the twilight for old Asa. Having lived his three-score and ten he still believed the Grand Passion possible for him.

But the gloom in the twilight seems to have been only a will-o'-the-wisp. Just a scant week after the Coca-Cola king sat in federal court and

heard his love letters to Mrs. Oneida DeBouchel, who was suing him for \$60,000 in damages for alleged breach of promise, read to an eager public his biue of less than a year was arrested by the police of Atlanta and charged with being an "occupant of a dive."

She was found in company with W. J. ("Bill") Stoddard, prominent Atlanta man, and president of the National Dry Cleaners Association, and another man, in an apartment on the fashionable north side residential district of Atlanta. A whisky bottle nearly empty was found on the table bestow, which was placed on the table beside them, police declare.

"We were only having a little party, what's wrong in that? And, besides, there are other people besides the Candlers in Atlanta," Mrs. Candler is quoted as saying after the police broke in.

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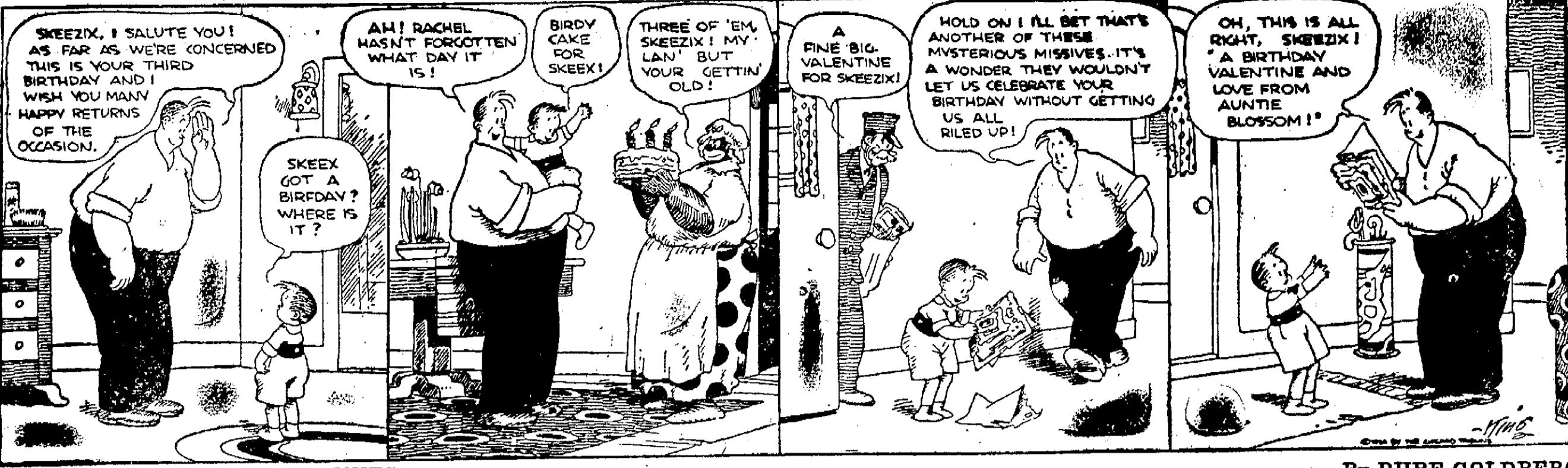
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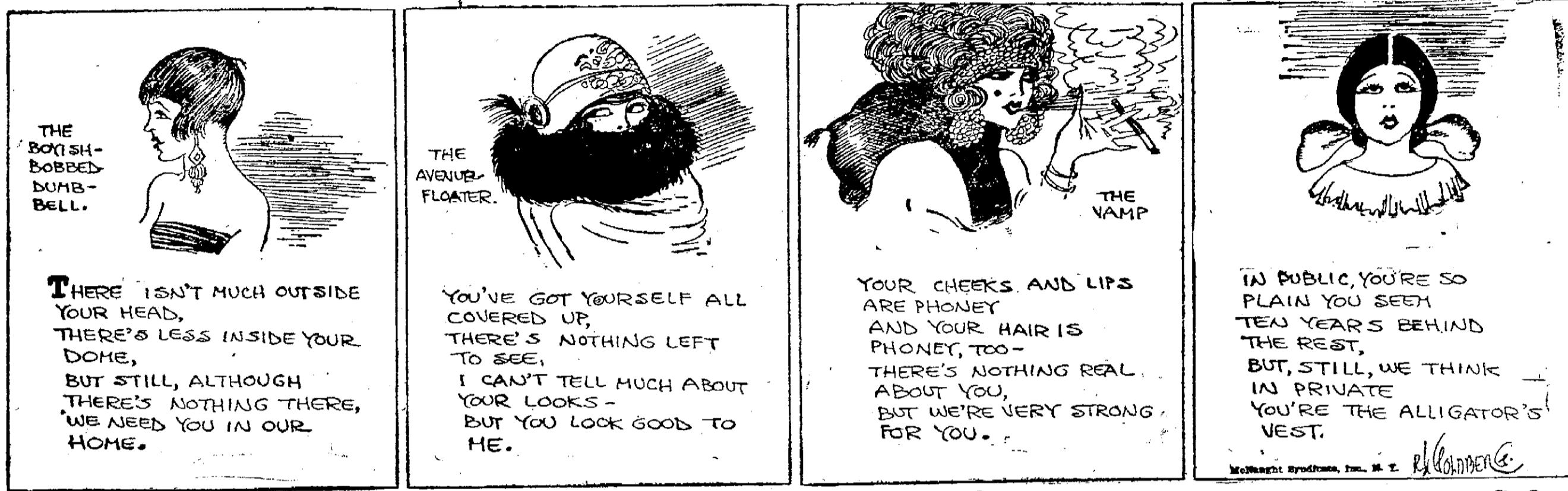
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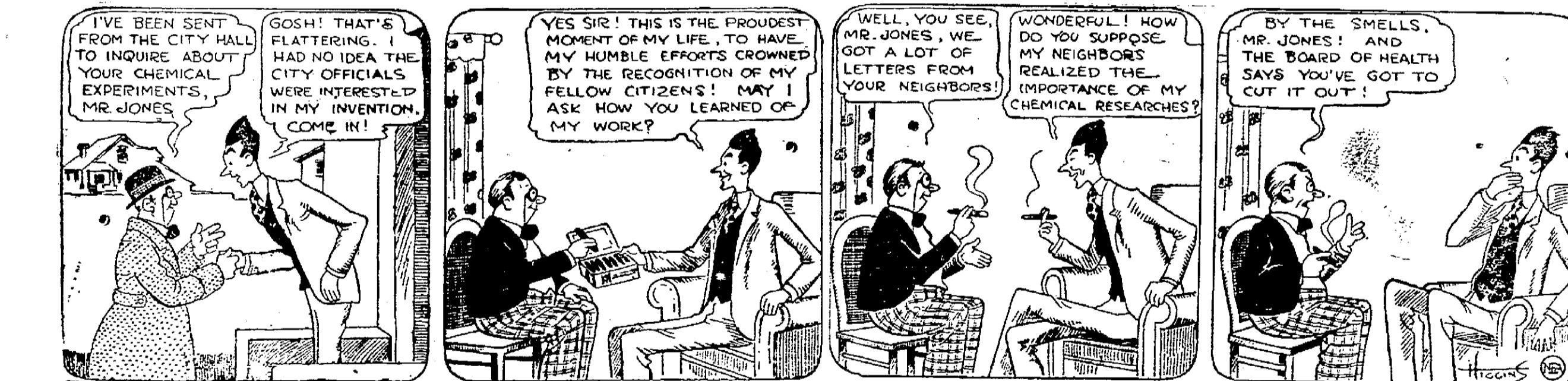
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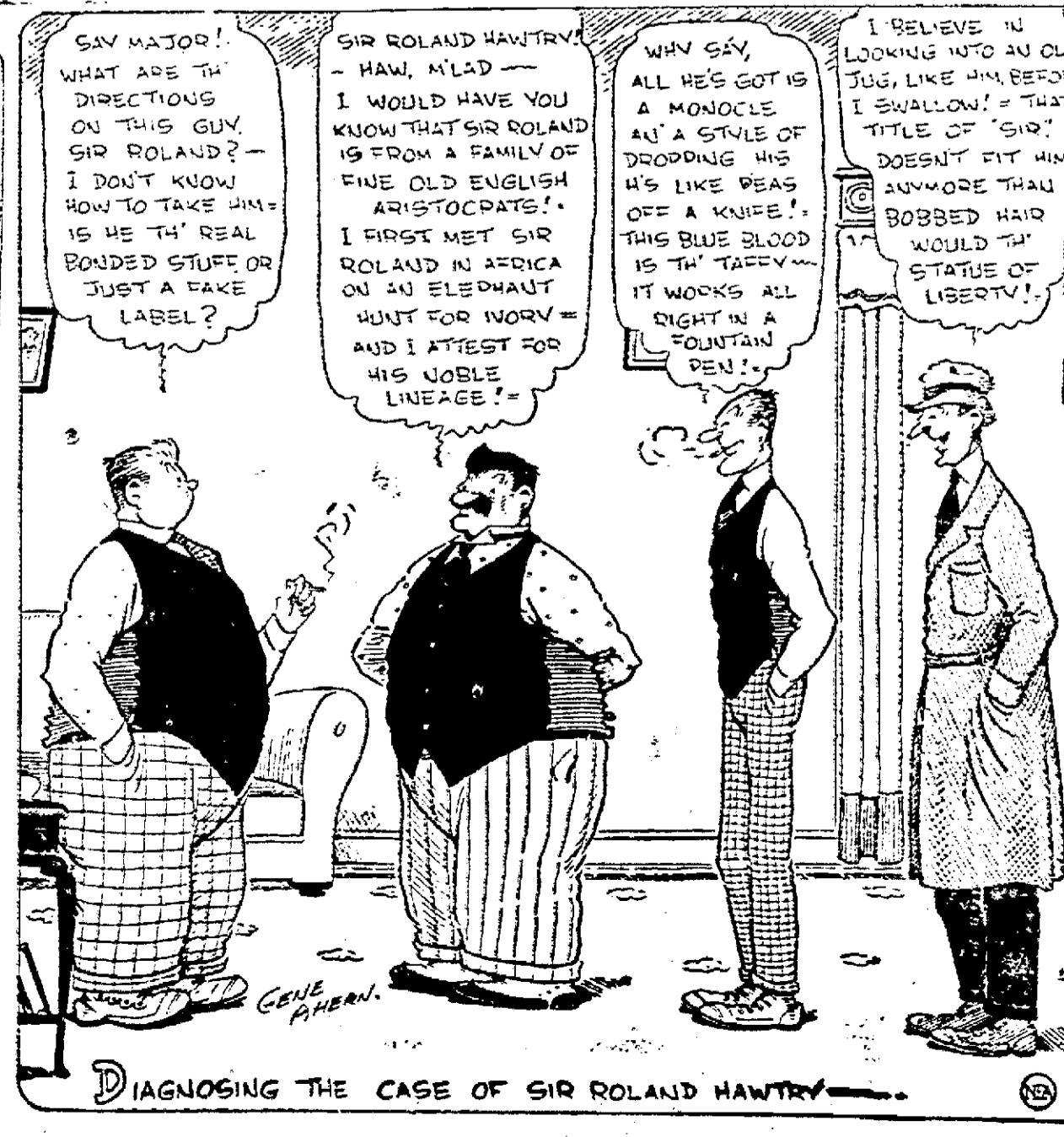


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AT THE MAJESTIC TONIGHT.

"Spice of 1923" Spectacular Offering of the Season.

Exactly as presented at the New York Winter Garden and claimed to be the largest and most expensive production ever sent on a transcontinental tour. "Spice of 1923" will be presented at the Majestic Theatre tonight. The author of the book and lyrics, Jack Laird, is said to have incorporated original ideas in this huge musical satire on the foibles of mankind, live topics of news and lampoons on society as he sees it in Manhattan, the whole composing a different class of entertainment than one usually associates with a musical revue. It is an attractive mixture of hilarious comedy, artistic splendor, sensational satire, beautiful costumes and gorgeous scenery, and is presented by the original company.

The history of "Spice" is a continuation of broken records, the company having remained intact more than 18 months and is now completing a transcontinental tour which has been sensationaly successful. During this time, it has played three months at the New York Winter Garden, a total of 11 weeks in Philadelphia and nine weeks in Boston and Brooklyn. Detroit records with four weeks' engagement. It has since toured the Pacific Coast.

The company is a large and expensive one, calling for a salary list alone of a thousand dollars a day. The principals include such well-known stars as George Price, Alice Ridno, Florence Browne, Sam Hearn, Evelyn Downing, a score of others and the Eight Peppermints, as well as a chorus of young women picked for their talent and beauty, at the Castro's Orchestra.

Prices 50c to \$2.50 plus tax.

\$25,000 FIRE IN GASTONIA

GASTONIA, N. C., Feb. 11.—Loss estimated at more than \$75,000 was caused by fire here tonight when the plant of the Spencer Lumber Company, owner principally by S. Elmer Spencer, was totally destroyed. The machinery was ruined and all the lumber on hand was burned. Only a small amount of insurance was carried, officials said.

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LEGAL NOTICES

ORDER PUBLICATION.

Issued by order of the Clerk of the Corporation Court of Danville, entered on the 30th day of January, 1924.

In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of Danville, on the 30th day of January, 1924.

Mintonia Fowler Shiedler. Plaintiff against Oliver Shiedler. Defendant

IN CHANCERY.

The object of this suit is to obtain

from the said Court a decree divorcing the plaintiff, Mintonia Fowler Shiedler, a vinculo matrimonii, from the said defendant, Oliver Shiedler, on the grounds of desertion.

And an affidavit having been made and duly filed that the said defendant's whereabouts are unknown, and that due diligence has been used to ascertain in what County or Corporation he is, but without effect, it is therefore ordered that he do appear here within ten days after due publication of this order once a week for four successive weeks in The Bee, a newspaper published in the City of Danville, Virginia, and do what is necessary to protect his interest in this suit.

OTIS BRADLEY, Clerk.

Harry Berman, F. C. BJS1-7-14-21

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BY ALBERT APPLE.

HUGO

The famous Parisian dressmaker, Mme. Madeline Vionnet visits New York and comments: "It's a pity that all American women want to be thin. They lose something when they force flesh away—the freshness is lost and they are almost certain to have a haggard appearance which no amount of youthful clothes can disguise. It's a pity to go against nature. I believe in being natural. One answer to this is that it isn't natural for a woman to get too fat, any more than it's natural for her to get too thin. The womanly attempt to be thin is more than a fashionable urge. It reflects a desire for health, activity and grace."

WILD

Want to buy a lion? The animal companies will go into the jungles of Africa, catch and deliver a lion to you for \$500. Tigers are listed at \$1,000 apiece, elephants as low as \$2,500.

The elephant quotation interests orientals as much as auto prices interest us. Many centuries are bridged in this contrast. And the auto dumbfounds the out-of-the-way oriental as much as the jungle beasts fascinate us.

NEXT

In the next war, the main object will be to put the enemy to sleep either temporarily or out of battle instead of butchering and death. So predicts General Crowell, formerly of the War Department. Such a policy could be changed after prisoners began running into the millions. Prisoners are a great nuisance.

Crowell makes this enticing prediction: "Airplanes will jump over armies and attack, the directing brains behind."

Cotton Report Is Made Public

By The Associated Press
WASHINGTON, Feb. 14.—Cotton consumed during January amounted to 576,604 bales of lint and 40,281 of linters compared with 451,560 of lint and 40,821 of linters in December and 610,306 of lint and 50,535 of linters in January last year, the census bureau announced today.

Cotton on hand January 31 totalled:

In consuming establishments, 1,332 bales of lint and 129,034 of linters compared with 1,623,453 of lint and 112,949 of linters on hand December 31, and 1,988,115 of lint and 145,375 of linters on hand January 31 last year.

In public storage and at compresses, 2,956,466 bales of lint and 52,742 of linters, compared with 3,536,644 of lint and 64,232 of linters on December 31, and 3,485,952 of lint and 45,935 of linters on January 31 last year.

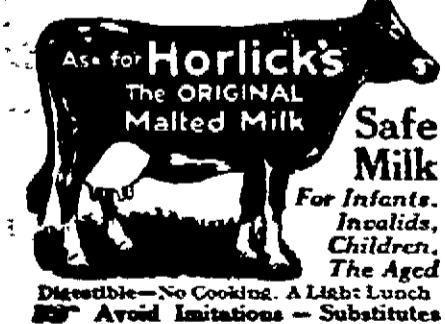
Exports during January totalled 47,593 bales compared with 35,601 in December and 165,213 in January last year.

Exports during January totalled 4,263 bales including 7,263 bales of linters compared with 545,581 including 11,560 of linters in December and 473,435 including 2,817 of linters in January last year.

Cotton spindles active during January last year.

Statistics for cotton growing states include:

Consumed during January 391,038



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STOCK REPORT

Thomson & McKinnon

Sales to Noon

Atchison	39%
Anaconda Copper	39
Allied Chemical & Dye	70
Allis Chalmers	47 1/2
Amer. Smelting & Refining	60 1/2
American Beet Sugar	45 1/2
American Locomotive	73 1/2
American Tel. & Tel.	102
American International	22 1/2
Am. Can. Chem.	13 1/2
American Linseed	19 1/2
American Can	117 1/2
American Sugar	58
Am. Tob. com.	149 1/2
Am. Tob. "B"	146 1/2
American Woolen	72 1/2
Amer. H. & L. pfld.	61 1/2
Baldwin Locomotive	126
Bethlehem Steel "B"	68 1/2
Baltimore & Ohio	67 1/2
Coca Cola	74
Chandler Motors	74
Chesapeake & Ohio	73
Cosden & Co.	35 1/2
Corn Products	174
Continental Can	52 1/2
Crucible Steel	67 1/2
Cerro de Pasco	47
Cuba Copper	27 1/2
Cuba Cane Sugar, com. do pfld.	16 1/2
Chicago, R. I. & Pac.	69
Chicago, Mill. & St. Paul	24 1/2
Consolidated Textile	15
Erie com.	6 1/2
Erie, first pfld.	26 1/2
Famous Paints-Lasky	63
General Motors	15 1/2
General Asphalt	41 1/2
Great Northern, pfld.	57 1/2
Gulf States Steel	84 1/2
Houston Oil	72 1/2
Int. Nat. Marine, pfld.	32
Inspiration Copper	26 1/2
International Paper	39
Invincible Oil	14
Kennecott Copper	37
Kelly-Springfield Tire	28
Lima Locomotive	67
Missouri Pacific, com. do pfld.	32 1/2
Middle States Oil	25 1/2
Mont. Ward & Co.	23 1/2
Marland Coal	37 1/2
Marshall Motor "A"	52 1/2
Norfolk & Western	106
North American Co.	24 1/2
Northern Pacific	53 1/2
New York Central	101 1/2
Pennsylvania	44
Pacific Oil	51 1/2
Pan-American Petroleum	45
Phillips Petro.	37 1/2
Peru Marquette	43 1/2
Producers & Rfrs.	36 1/2
Penn-Seaboard Steel	3
Reading	56 1/2
Rep. Iron & Steel	12 1/2
Sinclair Oil & Refining	31
Southern Pacific	88 1/2
Studebaker Corporation	102 1/2
S. S. of Calif.	62 1/2
S. O. N. J.	38
Sears Roebuck	93 1/2
Southern Railway, com.	45 1/2
Skelly Oil	25
Slims Petroleum	12 1/2
Tobacco Products	67 1/2
Tobacco Prod. "A"	91 1/2
Texas Co.	42 1/2
Texas & Pacific	24
Texas Pac. C. & O.	12 1/2
Utah Copper	66 1/2
U. S. Ind. Alcohol	75
United States Rubber	37 1/2
United States Steel	166 1/2
Vanadium Corp.	31 1/2
Westinghouse Electric	62
Wabash, pfld. "A"	43 1/2
Union Carbide	69
Sales to noon, 600,000.	

bales, compared with 308,506 in December and 383,559 in December last month.

Cotton on hand January 31 totalled:

In consuming establishments 1,004,742 bales compared with 1,032,036 on December 31 and 1,324,573 on January 31 last year.

In public storage and at compresses 2,667,432 bales compared with 3,177,466 on December 31 and 3,179,552 on January 31 last year.

Cotton steady active during January, general price 16,346.26, compared with 16,254.183 in December and 15,963.532 in January last year.

NEW YORK STOCKS.

(By The Associated Press.)

NEW YORK, Feb. 14.—Stock prices continued to sag at the opening of today's market under the weight of a large volume of selling orders. Bear pressure was again directed against the oils, most of which yielded fractionally.

Marlin and Dutch met support and moved slightly higher. Losses were spread over a wide list.

The market continued reactionary throughout the early dealings. Good buying below last night's closing quotations so that losses were held to a point or so. Pan-American, B. Costello, pfld., Phillips Petroleum, Westinghouse Air Brake, International Harvester, American Hide and Leather pfld., were among the issues to drop a point or so. There were a few conspicuous exceptions to the downward trend. Fisher Body continuing its remarkable advance by climbing 1 1/2 points to 294 1/2, new top. Foreign exchanges opened lower.

MORNING STOCK LETTER.

Thomson & McKinnon

NEW YORK, Feb. 14.—There is nothing in industry or finance that would make one bearish. If there is anything wrong it is not yet apparent. But there is a cloud overhanging Washington that is very oppressive, the cloud is getting bigger and bigger. What the outcome of it will be no one can say now. I don't suppose those in authority or those conducting the investigation, know just what new direction the investigation may follow the next hour.

What is all this to the stock market? Anything that affects public sentiment affects the market. Anything that creates doubt in the public mind will be reflected in the stock market.

This is a year for conventions and election and therefore the stock market is going to register every change in public sentiment. I think buying the market from now on is going to be a very hard job.

MORNING COTTON LETTER.

Thomson & McKinnon

NEW YORK, Feb. 14.—The consumption figures this morning will probably be followed by selling in any event as nothing of bullish nature appears to come out for the 30 days to date. Liquidation is giving the market a better tone as stale cotton comes in and there is nothing to buy at present.

Now, when others show stubborn resistance to pressure, as this may do, it is natural to be a little worried about the future. I think the market is going to be largely speculative and there is little chance for a real rally. When cheap cotton comes in, it is bound to

pressurize the market.

Mr. Beheler passed

to the Majestic Saturday, and in company with Mr. Beheler, who has seen the rates of their top for the past six weeks.

ROCKY MOUNT NEWS.

(Special to The Bee)

ROCKY MOUNT, Va., Feb. 14.—Mr. William Henry Hodges, age 84 years, one of the best known Confederate veterans in this county, died suddenly in his home of his son, near Dor Run, this county, after an illness of some duration. He entered the civil war at the beginning, and remained throughout the entire time, having been wounded sixteen times; he was noted for his bravery. He was a staunch Democratic and proud of the fact that he never voted against his party, always supported the entire Democratic ticket. He is survived by several children. His remains were interred in the family burial ground, near his home. Tuesday.

Mrs. Ruth Ellen Scott, the attractive and accomplished daughter, of Mr. and Mrs. Van Scott of near Petersburg, and Mr. Oscar B. Rose of Roanoke, were quietly married Thursday, at 3:30 o'clock, in the Baptist church, by the Rev. C. Kelly Hobbs, pastor. Mr. Rose is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Wash Rose of Alleghany County, and is a popular Federal officer, with headquarters in Roanoke. After an extended trip, Mr. and Mrs. Rose will reside in Roanoke.

The Women's Missionary Society of the Christian church met with Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Hartman Brown, on Main street. A very interesting program rendered, under the leadership of Mrs. Vernon Davis. An interesting paper was read by Mrs. Mrs. Hudson from Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Montgomery. "Our Own Missionaries to Porto Rico." They are so happy in the work there. The Bible study for Feb. was given by Mr. Walter Bernard. Mrs. A. O. Woods, a teacher in the Girls of India. The members of this society read 27 Missionaries books in January. After adjournment Mrs. Brown assisted by Mrs. Vernon Davis and Mrs. C. C. Flora served delicious cream and cake.

The Ladies of the Baptist church will serve lunch and dinner, Valentine Day, the 14th, in the Sunday shopping.

Mrs. R. E. Saunders remains ill in his home on Spring street.

Mrs. E. N. Dillard who has been ill is reported to be much better.

Mrs. and Mrs. Curtis Ashworth, of New York City, have arrived and are the house guests of the former's sister, Mrs. O. L. Hunt, on Claiborne avenue. Miss Nora Ashworth, a teacher in the Roanoke schools, was also the guest of her sister, Mrs. Hunt, for the week-end.

Mrs. O. B. Wills was in Roanoke shopping.

Mrs. J. H. Beheler, who has been the recent guest of her aunt, Mrs. Sallie McNeil, and Mrs. R. H. Beheler in Roanoke, has returned to her home here.

Mrs. C. R. Hunter and Miss Mattie Laprade are in Roanoke shopping. B. V. Reedi is in Roanoke today on a business trip.

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